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THE FINNS.

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At each children we say with earnestness: They need more exercise, and need it now. It is concentrated form the very elements to enrich their blood. It makes weakness to strength; it makes weakness to strength. No alcohol.

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The Russian Czar rules over some millions of Finns in Russia proper, a people distinguished for their honesty and stubbornness, all of them plain of feature, with light hair, often as white as prepared flax, with prominent cheek bones, broad, flat noses, wide nostrils, flat forehead and pointed chins. This general type has been largely varied by intermarriage between Slavs and Finns, and the resulting product has moved a most happy one.

The Master and wife were elected representatives to the State Grange which meets in Portland, December 21, 22, 23. Mr. and Mrs. Eli Bartlett were chosen as alternates.

The Universalist Sunday school is preparing for a Christmas concert. They will have their Christmas tree and supper Friday evening, December 26th.

D. S. Hastings and family started for Boston, Friday morning, shutting up their house here for the winter. They will stop in Boston for a while then go to Florida.

Rev. J. H. Little, Herman Mason and F. B. Merrill attended Pomona meeting at South Paris.

Among the names mentioned for office at the coming State Grange is that of Rev. G. W. Sias of Waterford, candidate for Chaplain of the State Grange. He is now Chaplain of Oxford County Pomona.

The Universalist Sunday school will have a supper, concert and Christmas tree, Friday evening.

At a basket ball game at Gould Academy last week, one boy was "knocked out" during the game and the services of a physician was required. The boys said it was a rough game.

PARIS HILL
Mrs. E. C. Slattery, who has been sick with pneumonia, is some better.

Mrs. Harry Cole, Mrs. Bert Cole, Mrs. Leon Maxin were in Portland, Saturday.

Hattie Mason visited in Auburn last week.

Loren Merrill was in Lewiston, Saturday.

A number attended the box supper and entertainment at the Hollow schoolhouse, Friday night.

Mrs. S. Doe of Portland is here caring for her mother, who is sick with pneumonia.

The Sunshine Club will meet at Mrs. Frank Bennett's, Thursday.

Charles Johnson has moved from South Paris into the house he recently bought of A. W. Andrews.

Agnes Brown has returned to Wilmington, Del.

NATURAL BAITS LURE ALL KINDS OF FISH.
Natural baits are those which most anglers are accustomed to using. Such baits, include worms, frogs, minnows, grasshoppers, grubs, salt pork, crickets, and many kinds of real fish food. The most common of all baits is the angle worm, and it is used more than any other because it can be secured so easily. This bait can be used for all kinds of fish, and is accepted by large and small alike, no matter whether they are surface or bottom feeders. The worms may be used just as they are taken from the ground and they are generally used in that condition. But if the bait is a week before, they are washed, and fed with a few bread crumbs, soaked in milk, they become toughened and make the best bait.

It is a common saying that the big worm will catch the big fish. There appears to be little if anything in this, but a worm that is just the right size, and the hook when properly impaled without crowding is the right size, and as a rule any fish will take it.

The grasshopper is another good bait, especially for surface-feeding fish. Perch, haps no other bait will cause a lazy old trout to rise so quickly from the depths into a lively, kicking grasshopper. The hook should be entered at the joint, just below the head, and run lengthwise of the body.

For black bass and other large fish the minnow is the favorite bait. By "minnow" is meant a small fish, for small fish are invariably called, minnows by anglers, regardless of their species. The small shiner, about four inches long, is a good bait, especially on dark days. A bass takes a minnow bait from behind or from the side, runs some distance with it, then stops and turns the fish about, to swallow head first. This is the time to strike. The same method of baiting and hooking applies to all kinds of fish when minnow bait is used. Minnows should be carried in a minnow box and handled as little as possible.

Small frogs make good bait for all game fish, and may be used with a single hook by inserting through the lips. A frog is a bait that is quite a favorite for the shape of a letter V, with the hook through the small end. Caterpillars and other little creatures are sometimes used successfully. The grub is the best used for salt-water fishing are bloodworms, sandworms, shrimp, shudder crab, clams, mossbunkers, addlers and killies.

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THE GULF.

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When The Man and The Woman were married she was willing enough to bear her share of the world's work. In fact it was her idea that those who love and marry should pull together in double harness, accomplishing success through combined energy and with their hands the path of life some what smoother through their common labor, grow old together.

But The Man's conception of marriage was quite another matter. "Why," said he to his bride, "what is a man's love for if not to protect the woman he loves. Besides I value your loveliness too much to run the risk of losing it. Hardship and work make one old and ugly early in life. I shall protect your beauty—your wonderful, wonderful beauty!"

Whereupon The Woman's laughter rippled like a sweet song in his ears even while she told him that she had rather be a true helpmate to him than a dressed-up doll to adorn his home, and The Man kissed her passionately, insisting that his was the right to bear the greater share of all the burdens marriage entailed.

"During the first few years of their life together The Woman often protested to The Man that he was working too hard, and more often complained that she would prefer fewer servants and less costly frocks to his continued absence from home."

"I want you, dear," she told him tenderly, "I want our marriage to mean something deeper than to show. I want to work with you; to be your true companion."

Whereupon The Man took her soft hands within his own and kissed each rose-tinted finger, telling her how proud he was of her beauty, of the admiration in which his friends all held her, and insisted that she had no business in the world of work and usefulness.

"But," protested The Woman, "aside from the fact that I am of no service in your scheme of living, I am lonely. Of what good is my beauty to you when you are never at home to see it?"

"That will not be for always," laughed The Man. "I am coming on splendidly. Before many years have gone by I hope to have my business in such shape that it will take little of my time. Then, dear one, we will enjoy life together. In the meantime amuse yourself as you please—only see that you keep your youth."

The Woman obeyed the wish of The Man. She knew the art of keeping her youth and beauty and pursued it with a diligence and a better cause.

As the years went by The Man worked like a slave. He was seldom with The Woman, and long since she learned the futility of protests and complaints. His business interests grew bigger and bigger, and absorbed more of his time as they grew. He did not have much leisure in which to look at The Woman, but when he did it was always with supreme pleasure and satisfaction, and if ever he had stopped in now and then a moment to look at her, it was to thank the good God for anything it would have been for the success of his work which had enabled him to protect his wife from every hardship—from every ugly thing in life that helps to bring the light of fret and worry into the woman's face and the stoop of age to her shoulders.

The Woman, from the high pedestal upon which The Man had set her, looked out over the valley in which he worked. She saw him giving of his might to the achievement of his work. At first she was proud of his success, although it never ceased to hurt her that she had no share in the work which brought it, but when she voiced the hurt to The Man he told her that she was the very foundation of his success, his inspiration, his motive, and The Woman learned eventually to be silent while she watched The Man grow fagged and old and ugly as the battle he fought took its toll of his strength.

The time came when a gulf stretched between The Man and The Woman that neither the one nor the other could bridge. The Man who had forged all the links of their united life alone and unassisted, found himself stopped with care before his time, while The Woman, because she had not borne her share of the burden, was younger than her years in both appearance and experience. Finally the space between them became so wide that The Woman made no effort to call across it, and The Man was so absorbed in making dollars that he did not notice what was happening until one day it was borne in upon him that he had become an old man—wrinkled and stooped and unsteady.

Whereupon he turned his face toward The Woman, but all he saw was the great gulf of seething waters which stretched between them and all he heard was her laughter across the distance as younger men told her how wonderful a thing was the youth and beauty which she had managed to keep.

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NORWAY CENTER.
Mrs. Lillian Swan of Norway is caring for Mrs. Harriet Foster.

D. A. Watson has sold his apples to C. F. Upton of Albany.

A number attended the "Birth of a Nation" at Norway, last week.

Arthur Holman has purchased a cow of W. F. Rogers recently.

William Knightley is visiting a few days at H. A. Knightley of Oxford.

Rev. H. L. Faulkham of Oxford held services at the church, Monday and Tuesday evenings.

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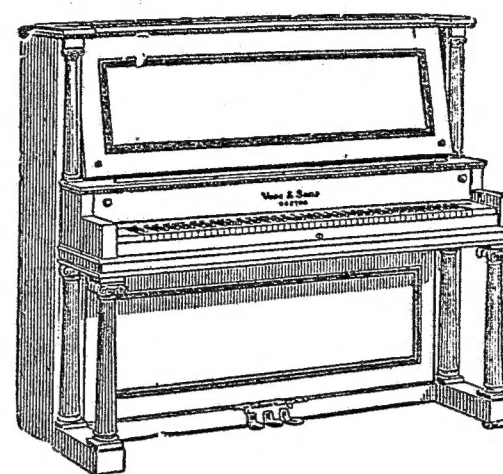
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NOTICE OF NON-RESIDENT TAX SALE.

STATE OF MAINE.
Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the Fryeburg Village Fire Corporation, in the County of Oxford, for the year 1915.
The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners, in the Fryeburg Village Fire Corporation aforesaid, for the year 1915, committed to me for collection for said Corporation, on the first day of July, 1915, remain unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes with interest and charges are not previously paid, to much of the real estate owned as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold without further notice at Public Auction at the Fryeburg Village Fire Corporation Building in said Corporation, on the first Monday in February, 1916, at nine o'clock A. M. Interest and Charges.

December 11th, 1915.
John W. Hatchins, Collector of taxes of the Fryeburg Village Fire Corporation.

ENOUGH CHILDREN
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PROBATE NOTICES.
Persons interested in the estate of the late of Fryeburg in the County of Oxford, on the first day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, the following matter having been presented for the action thereon hereinafter named, it is hereby ordered: That notice thereof be given to all persons claiming an interest in the estate of the late of Fryeburg, in the County of Oxford, on the first day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, at the office of the Probate Court, to be held at said Fryeburg, on the third Tuesday of December, A. D. 1915, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, to appear and show cause if they see cause why the said matter should not be granted. CHARLES F. RIDLON, Judge of said Court.

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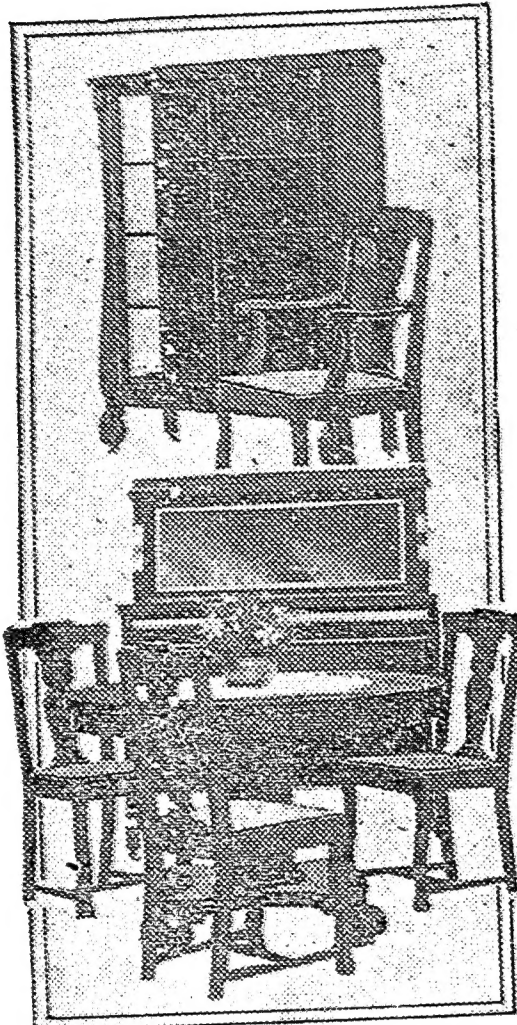
Coming Events.

December 15-16—Fair, Universalist church.
December 25—Basket Ball and dance at Norway Opera House.
December 29—Supper and entertainment, Y. P. C. V., Concert Hall, Norway.
January 4-6—Western Maine Poultry Show, Opera House, Norway.

HANDSOME MAHOGANY.

No Other Wood Quite Approaches It in Appearance.

Reminiscent of the colonial period is the handsome dining room suit shown in this illustration. It is built of solid mahogany with a dull polish, which



brings the wonderful colors and the grain of the wood into prominence. This suit is of cottage size. The chairs are built with the old fashioned removable seats.

Orange Baskets.
Select a rather large, firm skinned orange for the basket. With a sharp knife cut out the skin at the end of the orange opposite the stem into a basket handle. For the body of the basket leave somewhat more than half of the fruit. Then carefully cut away the skin not needed and scoop out the pulp of the orange. Have one-quarter of a box of gelatin soaked in one-quarter of a cup of cold water for half an hour. Add one-half cupful of boiling water; then add a half cupful of sugar and a cupful of orange juice. To prepare the juice, press the pulp of the orange from the basket through a vegetable press or squeeze it with the fingers through a cloth. Never squeeze an orange with the skin on, as this gives it the bitter taste of the oils from the rind. Add also, the juice of half a lemon. Stir all together and strain through a cloth and set on the ice till firm. When ready to serve cut the jelly into irregular blocks and put it into the orange baskets.

Cheap Sheep.
Sheep could be purchased for fourpence each in England in the twelfth century.

Baptist Church Notes
Have you heard the new pastor yet? If not, come and hear the sermon, "In a basket," Acts, 9:23, next Sunday at 8:15. "Twice interest and help you."

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS.
Harry M. Farr, Portland, and Josephine Leachman, Norway.

MARRIAGES.
In Norway, December 12, by Rev. G. G. Miller, Julius E. Peterson of Boston and Bertha H. Mann of Norway.
In Wilson's Mills, Nov. 26, by H. W. Fickett, Esq., Allen Harriman of Exeter, N. H., and Eda Bennett of Wilson's Mills.

BIRTHS.
In Paris, November 23, to the wife of Mark Malson, a son.
In Bethel, December 3, to the wife of Paul Thurston, a daughter.

DEATHS.
In Portland, December 6, Frank H. Bumpus of South Paris, aged 63 years.
In South Paris, December 7, Leslie E. Dean, aged 18 years.
In Mexico, December 9, Beatrice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Palmer, aged 3 years.
In West Freeburg, December 6, Nathaniel R. Hardy, aged 74 years.

DO YOU SUFFER FROM BACKACHE?

When your kidneys are weak and torpid they do not properly perform their functions; your back aches and you do not feel like doing much of anything. You are likely to be despondent and to borrow trouble, just as if you hadn't enough already. Don't be a victim any longer. The old reliable medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla, gives strength and tone to the kidneys and builds up the whole system. Hood's Sarsaparilla is a peculiar combination of roots, barks and herbs. No other medicine acts like it, because no other medicine has the same formula or ingredients. Accept no substitute, but insist on having Hood's, and get it today.

Romance of a Broken Nose

How a Dream Turned Out a Reality

By MARTHA V. MONROE

Howard Chichester stood at his club window looking out on a street along which now and again some pedestrian was forcing his way against wind and rain. Mr. Chichester was depressed and the sight from the window did not tend to raise his spirits. His club was supposed to be a home for bachelors, but it was a great stone structure, its interior faced with marble and during the day usually deserted.

Mr. Chichester thought how pleasant a real home would be on such a day as this. He pictured himself coming home from business, met at the door by a loving wife with a kiss, divesting himself of wet clothing and sitting down before a cheerful fire in his library. His wife on the arm of his easy chair listening to a recital of the events of the day.

A gust of wind changed a woman's umbrella from concave to convex and sent a man's hat rolling over the wet pavement. Chichester turned away from the scene contrasting so widely with his dream of a home, and to escape it he went into the billiard room. There was no one there to play with, so after knocking the balls about for a few minutes he started out into the storm to go to his room to dress for dinner.

The wind sent the rain almost parallel with the sidewalk, so instead of holding his umbrella over his head he held it before his face. Suddenly he felt a shock and heard a scream. Raising his umbrella he saw a girl directly in front of him from whose nose blood was running. It occurred to him that he had drawn that blood with the stick of his umbrella.

It was no time to talk, but to act, though Chichester gave vent to two words, "Thousand pardons," as he whipped out his handkerchief to supply the place of the one used by the girl, which resembled a doily rather than a blood stancher. She seized the one he offered her greedily and held it to her nose.

A cab was passing, and Chichester hailed it. Fortunately it was empty, and the driver was ready for a fare. He drew up by the curb. Chichester, opening the door, said to the lady:

"I beg of you to permit me to do what I can to atone for my carelessness by taking you home."

The girl removed the handkerchief from her face, saw that her nose was still bleeding, hesitated, then got into the cab. Chichester asked for her street and number, then, giving it to the driver, got in and sat down beside her. On the way he bemoaned having injured her and hoped that there would be no ill result. The girl said very little and when they reached her home and he handed her out was in no state of mind to thank him for his attention. Nevertheless he followed her to the door and into the house, where she was received by her mother, who naturally showed great anxiety to know what had happened.

Inviting Chichester to a little parlor, the mother went upstairs with her daughter and presently returned with the report that the hemorrhage had ceased, but she had decided to call in a doctor to make sure that all was right. Chichester asked if he might remain to hear the doctor's report and was granted his request. A telephone message was sent for the family physician, who arrived in due time and went upstairs to the patient.

Meanwhile Chichester remained in the cozy room to which he had been shown. A cheerful fire was burning on the hearth, and some one had been sitting in an easy chair directly before it, for such was the position of the chair. Chichester dropped into it, and presently his mind became diverted from the damage he had done to his immediate surroundings.

The room was very tastefully furnished. Indeed, there was an air of comfort about it which is in some rooms and not in others, why, it is hard to tell. On the wall were pictures, all works of art, one of which was a portrait of a young girl evidently about fifteen, which Chichester recognized at once for a likeness of the girl he had injured, though it must have been painted several years before. His attention was fixed on the nose, which was very shapely. He winced as he thought that he might have made it a defacement instead of a thing of beauty.

Chichester sat musing. He recalled the dream that had come to him while looking out of his window at his club, when he had pictured himself coming in out of the rain received by a wife, her sitting beside him on the arm of his chair and their talking over the events of the day. He now fancied the girl stepping out of the picture and taking the place of the wife of his dream. True, she was but a child, but he had seen her as a woman, and it was not difficult to realize the two as one and the same person. Would that his fancy could become real! He would shake the dust of his club off his boots. There was the tread of a man's step on the stairs, and the doctor entered the room where Chichester sat. He looked grave. Chichester rose and faced him.

"Mrs. Corwith," said the physician, "has asked me to report to you her daughter's condition. The vertical septum separating the nasal fossae has been fractured."

"Great heavens, doctor! you don't mean that her nose has been broken."

"That's about it, in ordinary parlance."

"And will it be deformed?" asked Chichester eagerly.

"That it is impossible to say. The surgical problem is rather a difficult one to handle. The septum is very thin, and one put out of its normal position there is no surety of getting it back so exactly as to replace the original shape of the organ."

Chichester groaned.

"Of course," continued the doctor, "everything will be done that can be done to prevent disfigurement. I am not a surgeon, but one of the best operators in the profession will have charge of the case, and we may hope for the best."

With this the doctor took himself off, swinging his satchel in true professional style, and Chichester was left alone with his regrets at having protected himself from the rain at the expense of a collision to some one's injury. Soon after the doctor's departure Mrs. Corwith came into the room, where Chichester still waited, and said:

"My daughter has charged me to say to you that you need give yourself no concern on her account. Her injury was an accident for which you were in no way to blame. When she met you the rain was dripping from her umbrella into her eyes, and she had lowered the umbrella on that account, so that she did not see you coming."

"It was my fault entirely," Chichester protested. "I had no right to be walking on the street, my eyesight obstructed and pointing a steel ferrule at whoever might approach."

"I may call, may I not, to ask of her condition?"

"Surely, if you are so inclined."

Chichester drew a card from his portemonnaie and placed it on a table, begging the lady if complications set in to advise him. This she promised to do.

Chichester called the next day and learned that an operation had been performed on Miss Corwith's nose and that there was every expectation that it would result in a complete restoration of the feature to its original shape. He asked permission to send some flowers to the young lady as a token of his delight at the prospect of the damage he had done being remedied. Mrs. Corwith assured him that such a gift would be appreciated, and the same day a box of cut flowers arrived, with Mr. Chichester's card.

Mr. Chichester called every few days for information concerning the patient's condition, and every time he called he was shown into the cozy little parlor to await a reply to his inquiries. Sometimes the answer was slow in coming, and he was much pleased therefor, for it gave him time to sniff the comfort of the room and to feast his eyes on the girlish face which always seemed to look down on him forgivingly for the damage he had done.

At times the answers to his inquiries were brought him by the maid, but others Mrs. Corwith made the replies in person. Having Mr. Chichester's card, she had spoken to her daughter's accident and had learned that he was a gentleman of excellent family. From the time of receiving this information her manner became more cordial, and one day when he called she assured him the doctors had promised that the bandages would be removed from her daughter's nose within a few days, and he would have an opportunity to see for himself that no permanent damage had been done.

One afternoon about 4 o'clock Chichester sauntered up to the Corwith residence, rang the doorbell and was admitted to the cozy parlor. Some of the flowers he had sent the day before were arranged in vases about the room, thus enhancing its attractiveness. Chichester looked upon this as a good omen. The portrait looked down upon him, and it seemed to him today that instead of wearing a forgiving expression there was one of kindness. He was standing before it with his back to the door when he heard a light footstep on the threshold and, turning, there stood Miss Corwith.

"For an instant his eyes were riveted on her nose and, seeing that there was no disfigurement, he exclaimed, 'Thank God!' Her face broke into an appreciative smile and she advanced with outstretched hand.

"You have been very good," she said, "to manifest so much concern in my behalf. It is in great contrast with those reckless drivers who run down people and leave them lying where they fall while the rescuers make their escape."

"My happiness at your restoration is complete," was Chichester's reply. "And the flowers you have sent me; they have been such a comfort to me. I love flowers, and while confined to my room they have been my principal companions."

Taking a rose from a vase, she placed it in Chichester's buttonhole. Now, when a lady puts a flower in the lapel of a man's coat she must, of necessity, stand very near him. He looks down into her face and her breath is sweet to him. Chichester found it difficult to refrain from encircling the donor with his arms.

A time came, however, when he reached home from business, sat in the easy chair in the cozy parlor and a wife sat on its arm while they talked over the events of the day. At such moments Chichester went back in memory to the day he stood a lonely bachelor at his club window, looked out on the driven rain and pictured himself in a home with a wife, then went forth to be conducted by fate to a real home and a real wife, Ada Corwith.

Very often a man who gets sore and say you have no sense of humor because you don't laugh at his jokes. A sense of humor is something always lacking in the other fellow. — Milwaukee Journal.

VISIT HILLS THE JEWELER

FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS

NORWAY

Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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Tight.
He always digs up some excuse
To stay out late at night;
His morals and his change are loose,
But he is always tight.

The Wise Fool.
"Necessity is the mother of invention," quoted the sage.
"I always thought it was laziness," commented the fool.

Enough Well.
The man who dug wells said: "I vow
I've taken out ten tons of stone.
This well is plenty deep, so now
I'll just leave well enough alone."

Sure!
"You can't fool all the people all the time," remarked the old fogey.
"You don't have to," replied the grouch.
"You can get rich fooling half of them half the time."

Pterrible!
Beware the ptermine or you'll die,
No painted food for me!
I'd like to have some ptomoe, but I
Will stick to ptost and pteta.

The Byplay Minstrel.
"Mister Interlocutor, can you tell me the difference between an astronomer and a man who is on the top floor of a skyscraper?"
"No, Mr. Tambo, I cannot. Will you tell me the difference?"
"One stares up and the other's up stairs."

Wuff!
The thick paint on her lips we see,
A kiss from her would sicken;
She thinks she looks real chic, but we
Think she looks like a chicken.

Disposing of the Remnant.
About seven weeks ago Luke used this in this column:
Dear Luke—Take time to admit Ima Remnant of this city. Being only seventeen years old and pretty, she is not on the bargain counter yet.—Mrs. C. E. O. Martin's Ferry, O.

And this week we find the following in the Martin's Ferry (O.) News:
Word has been received here of the marriage of Miss Ima Remnant and Walter Loyd, both of Martin's Ferry, which took place in Cleveland.

Names Is Names.
Ruben Hayde is a farmer who lives at Alderson, W. Va.

Thanx, but We've Just Had a Bath!
A good washwoman can be found at No. 531 Anderson street, east, man or woman washing.—Ad. in Savannah (Ga.) News.

Things to Worry About.
An aeroplane traveling sixty miles per hour would be 40,000,000 years reaching the nearest fixed star.

Our Daily Special.
Don't let your hat get too small. Remember that no man is indispensable.

Luke McLuke Says:
Once in awhile friend wife spends so much time making the dining room look cheerful that she hasn't anything fit to eat when friend husband gets home.

If the married women in this country knew all of the things that their husbands keep secret the newspapers would not have space for the rest of the war news.

The reason a man has time to sit around the house for six months and

put some color into the cheeks of a calabash pipe is because he hasn't time to put some color into his wife's cheeks by taking her out for a six minute walk.

A corn fed girl will spend several years trying to be graceful. But every time she sits down she acts as if she was afraid something would bust.

If some of the smartest men in the world hadn't made mistakes while trying to follow a set rule a lot of the most useful discoveries might still be lost to the world. So there is hope for you even if the boss did bawl you out because you made an error.

After you size up some husbands wonder how the Halifax wives ever beat the fool killer to what they harnessed up with.

You can't always tell. Maybe the fellow you imagine is grouchy is merely silent because he does not believe in talking when he has nothing to say. The reason why father always remembers to empty the pan under the icebox before he goes to bed is because mother gets mad every time he tries to make her accept enough money to purchase a new hat.

Any princess whose waist is as big around as her hips can tell you that large hips are vulgar.

When a woman is wrong she is always the last one to find it out. The old fashioned boy whose mother used to tie a piece of fat bacon around his neck when he had a sore throat now has a son who pays a throat specialist a hundred bucks and learns

that he has faryacitis and must be the summer in the mountains.

Why is it that the tiresome man also tireless?

Trigger Fish.
The curiously named "trigger" are plentiful in Japanese waters, and popular name is derived from the jerky peculiarity of the second of the dorsal fin. When the fin is raised the first ray, or spine, which is thick and strong, maintains its position so firmly that it cannot be pressed down by any degree of force, but if the second spine is pressed first immediately falls down with spring, like the hammer of a gun when the trigger is pulled. These are marked in a striking manner, of them being very richly colored in gray, blue and gold.—The Family Herald.

Filling the Need.
The company watched so poorly went through their drill so badly the captain, who was of a somewhat excitable nature, shouted indignantly at the soldiers:

"You knock around, big footed! You are not worthy of being drilled by a captain. What you want is a ceros to drill you, you wretched donkeys!"

Then, sheathing his sword in his belt, he added, "Now, lieutenants, take charge of them."—London Bits.

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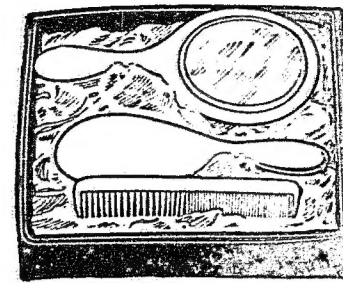
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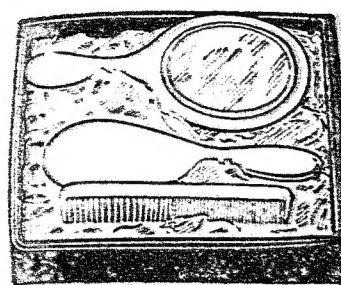
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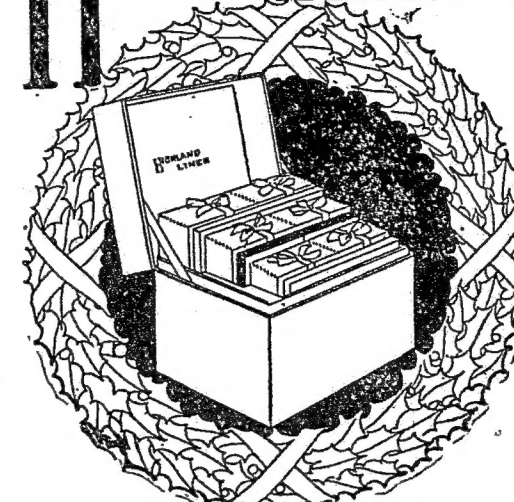
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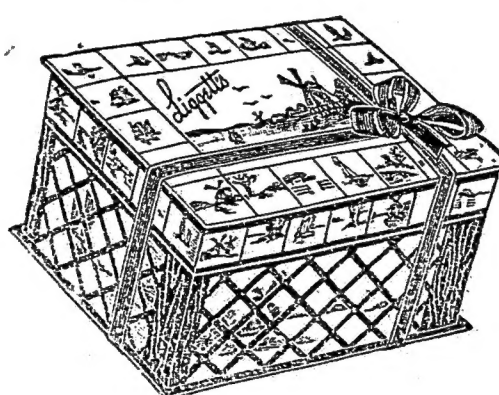
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OXFORD

Dr. J. H. Glover, V. S., is wintering all the animals which he exhibited at many of the Maine fairs the past fall and is adding to his collection. The animals he now has in his collection are, two bears, a fox, three raccoons, four Angora guinea pigs, two pure white and two pure black guinea pigs of the common variety, two Himalaya rabbits, two Angora rabbits, a beautiful blue Persian kitten, Joe the alligator, Pompey the trick Pomeranian, a finely bred pointer, and a number of mounted specimens. It is his intention to exhibit at the Maine fairs another season as he has met with great success the past fall.

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WEST BUCKFIELD.

Willard Pearl and Ray Bradbury have returned from Canada where they have been cutting Christmas trees. Thomas Bradbury came home, Sunday. Mrs. O. D. Warren picked a pansy blossom in her garden December 3d. Roy Briggs was at S. E. Briggs' Sunday. S. E. Briggs stopped in Hebron Saturday night with his daughter, Mrs. Herbert Bowman. Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Hewell were at Irving Smith's Saturday night and Sunday. Montelle Bradbury of Mechanic Falls was at Thomas Bradbury's over Sunday. Everett Pearson and Norman Bessey went to Lewiston Monday on business. Mrs. H. Warren, who has been with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Buck, returned home Thursday. Mrs. Gertrude Warren of North Buckfield spent Thursday night at Harry Buck's. Mrs. Georgie Pearson and daughter Beatrice went to Mexico, Saturday. Roy Buswell and a Frenchman went to Stow Saturday to work.

RUMFORD

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wakeley visited in Portland quite recently, the guests of Mrs. Wakeley's sister, Mrs. Samuel Turner. The recital by the pupils of Louise Staples was held in the Baptist Church Tuesday evening, December 14. Irene Tracy, who has been visiting in Lewiston, has returned home. Ray Harris has been spending a few days in Boston. Elizabeth, Hannah and Holman Ferrell, who have been visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Hannah Holman in Dixfield, have returned home. Mrs. Mary Starwood, who has been visiting in Boston, has returned home. Mrs. Mary Bisbee Jocelyn of Portland has been visiting her parents, George D. Bisbee and wife. Mrs. Hannah Warhurst, who has been quite ill, is very much improved.

EAST STONEHAM.

Merton McAllister and Albert Hobson went to Norway, Saturday on business. Ethel Smith is stopping with her aunt, Mrs. Ernest McAllister. Will Decker shot a large deer, Saturday the 11. Lucius Jewett, our fish pedler, was in this place, Friday. F. H. Bartlett sold a colt to Dr. Craft of Lovell village. A fur buyer was in this place last week buying furs and deer skins. Mr. and Mrs. Frank McAllister were guests at their daughter's, Mrs. Bert Kendall's, Sunday.

Fined for Illegally Setting Traps. Jesse Adams of East Stoneham put out some traps and didn't have them marked as provided by law governing and appertaining thereto. Along comes Walter H. Barker, who is doing the duties of Game Warden in that section and finds these irregular iron game catchers doing duty in the wilderness. Mr. Barker traces out the owner or owners and invites Jesse Adams and his father, Wesley Adams to go to Lovell and place their case before Trial Justice, Cyrus K. Chapman of that town. This was done on the ninth of the present month. His honor fined Jesse Adams \$10.00 and costs of \$11.15, a total of \$21.15 for not complying with the laws in his trapping pursuits and gave him 30 days in which to pay. The case against Wesley Adams was dismissed for lack of evidence.

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Women's dainty white aprons for
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woman. If you have a gift of the
kind to buy, it will be to your advan-
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fabric. Our stock is now in our com-
pleteness and presents a broad field
for selection. You can have any pat-
tern you choose put into a lovely
yard.

Fine dress goods, 25c to \$1.25
yard.

Fine silks, 50c to \$2.00 yd.

Fine waistings, 25c to \$2.00 yd.

LEATHER GOODS

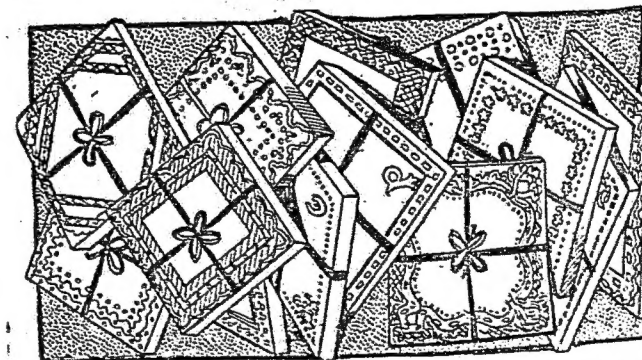
Right here you will find an unsur-
passed line of handsome leather goods
for Christmas gifts and after all,
there are a few things more desirable
for gifts. Every piece we show is
new and fresh. A wonderful line of
Bags, Purses and Bill Books.

Bags in all the new shapes, beauti-
fully lined, many are fitted out with
useful articles, 50c, 75c, 98c; \$1.25;
\$1.50; \$1.98; \$2.50; \$2.98; \$3.50;
\$3.98.

Purses in new shapes, 50c; 98c;
\$1.50.

CHARMING NECKWEAR

So many new neckwear novelties
being introduced, it keeps us constan-
tly on the alert to "set the pace"
for the demands of our trade, and we
try to keep the newest ideas coming
all the time, to attempt a de-
scription of any particular style is
do justice to all would require volume
of reading. We can say that we have
all that is new and desirable. A
new Galt collar, new fur trimmed,
Dutch and fancy bows, neatly put
in gift boxes for..... 25c and



HANDKERCHIEFS GALORE

Everybody is telling us that we have the most beautiful
Handkerchiefs they ever saw—and we believe they are right—and
the most reasonable prices. The variety and assort-
ment of handkerchiefs is larger this season than ever before.

CREPE-DE-CHENE HANDKERCHIEFS, plain centers
with lace; embroidered edges, colored crepe-de-chene with lace
match, only 25c

HAND EMBROIDERED LINENS, beautiful designs. A
large assortment to select from, 25c and 50c

LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS with Venice lace edge in fancy
shape, 25c; 50c; 87c; \$1.00

HANDKERCHIEFS of fine quality with colored embroi-
dery and colored border, beautiful patterns, 25c

HANDKERCHIEFS, handsomely embroidered in white and
colors. An endless assortment for 5c; 10c; 12 1-2c; 15c

Our Christmas special in Handkerchiefs, extra good val-
ue, plain linen with narrow hem. A quality seldom found
this price, 12 1-2c

Plain Linen Handkerchiefs and handkerchiefs with initial
for men and women for, 12 1-2c, 15c, 25c

CHILDREN'S HANDKERCHIEFS in fancy boxes, 15c
15c

HANDKERCHIEFS FOLDERS, neat design, nice for send-
ing away handkerchiefs, 5c each

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

There are few gifts which carry with them the same charm
to the woman who loves dainty underwear as do these beautiful
pieces.

White Shirts, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.98

Night Robes, 50c, 75c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.50

Combinations, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50

Corset Covers, 25 and 50c



The Pure Food Now For Christmas

Food buyers will find it the ideal place to get their

Cranberries	Basket Figs
Mixed Nuts	Loose Raisins
Figs	Bananas
Malaga Grapes	Tasty Apples
Sweet Potatoes	Baked Apples

Candies! Can't You Just See Them?
you as you enter the Store and there are no tempting
ways fresh.

Mixed Candy..... 25c per Pound	3 Pound
Ribbon Candy..... 25c per Pound	3 Pound
Cocoanut Bon Bons..... 25c per Pound	Candy
Assorted Chocolates..... 20c per Pound	Pop Corn

Sage Cheese

Seedless Oranges. The largest you ever saw.
All sizes and prices. Florida Grape Fruit. Large
the sunny South.

Our team will take orders and deliver goods
Dec. 24. Ring us up for anything you need. 18

DRAKE & E

Norway, Me

\$2,400 PAID OUT IN Christmas

Did you get one of these Christmas
YOU WILL WANT ONE NEXT

Christmas Club

Join Any Day Here

Members starting with 2c. and
increasing 2c. each week for
fifty weeks receive..... \$25.50

Members starting with 5c. and
increasing 5c. each week for
fifty weeks receive..... \$63.75

GET STARTED

PARIS TRUST

South Paris,

IS IT REAL IVORY

It is not real Ivory, but it is certainly looks like it, feels like
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beautiful product employed in the making of Toilet Art
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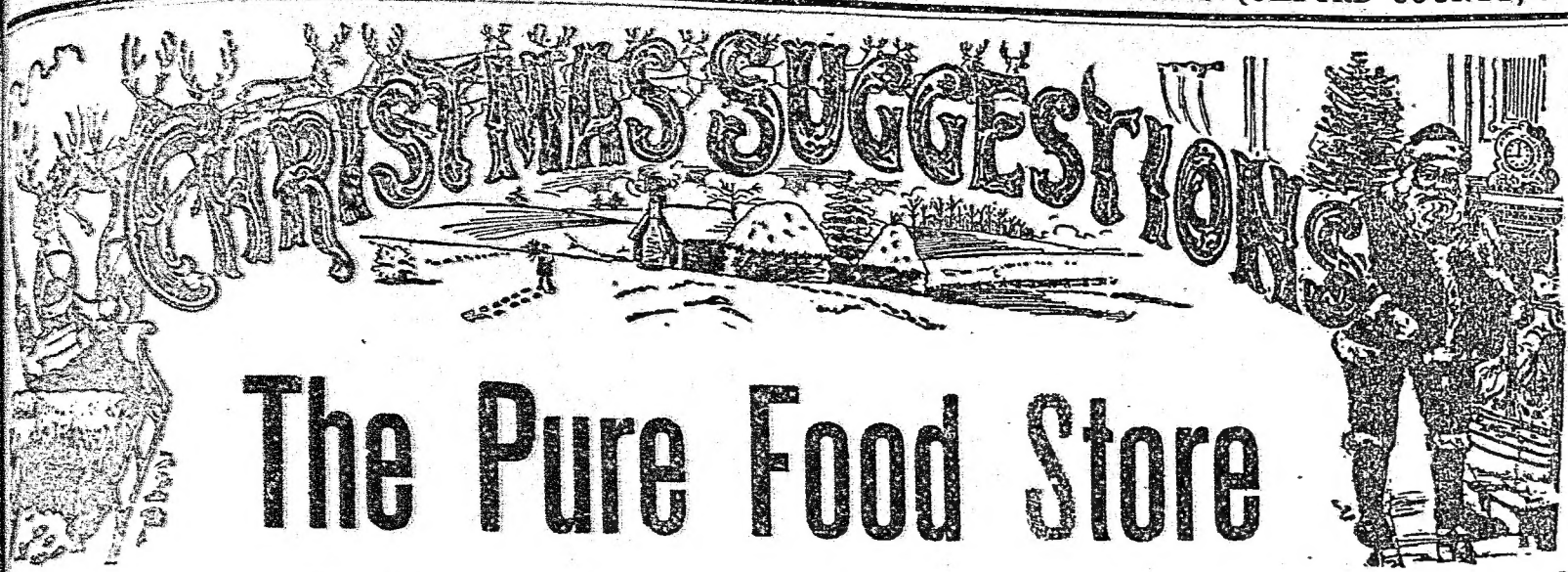
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POWDER BOXES
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The A. L. Clark Drug
Norway, Maine

DON'T FORGET TO GET

BALLARD'S GOLDEN O

greatest throat and lung remedy. No opiates or al-
pleasant to take. 25 and 50 cents at all dealers.



The Pure Food Store Now For Christmas

Food buyers will find it the ideal place to get their Christmas Supplies.

Cranberries	Basket Figs	Celery
Mixed Nuts	Loose Raisins	Dates
Figs	Bananas	Preserved Ginger
Malaga Grapes	Fancy Apples	Ripe Olives
Sweet Potatoes	Boiled Cider	Shelled Walnuts

Candies! Candies! You should just see them. They're the first things to greet you as you enter the Store and they are so tempting it's hard to pass them by. All fresh.

Hard Candy.....10c per Pound	Peanut Crisp.....15c per Pound
Soft Candy.....2 Pounds for 25c	2 Pound Boxes Ribbon Candy.....25c per Box
Chewy Bon Bons.....20c per Pound	Crispy Fluffs.....25c per Pound
Assorted Chocolates.....20c per Pound	Pop Corn Brittle.....2 Pounds for 25c

Sage Cheese Turner Cheese

Seedless Oranges. The largest you ever saw. Florida Oranges. Very juicy. Sizes and prices. Florida Grape Fruit. Large and juicy. Tangerines from sunny South.

Our team will take orders and deliver goods in all parts of the Village Friday, Dec. 24. Ring us up for anything you need. 134-13.

DRAKE & BROOKS,

Norway, Maine

\$2,400 PAID OUT IN Christmas Club Checks

Did you get one of these Christmas Checks?
YOU WILL WANT ONE NEXT CHRISTMAS

Christmas Club FOR 1916 Now Open

Join Any Day Here is the Plan

Members starting with 2c. and increasing 2c. each week for fifty weeks receive.....	\$25.50	Members paying 50c. each week for fifty weeks receive.....	\$25.00
Members starting with 5c. and increasing 5c. each week for fifty weeks receive.....	\$63.75	Members paying \$1.00 each week for fifty weeks receive.....	\$50.00

GET STARTED EARLY

PARIS TRUST COMPANY

South Paris, Maine. 51-53

IS IT REAL IVORY?

It is not real Ivory, but it is certainly looks like it, feels like it, can be engraved like old tusk Ivory. The newest, most beautiful product employed in the making of Toilet Articles. Better than natural woods in wearing qualities, handsomer than silver in appearance. Under no circumstances miss seeing this wonderful Parisian or White Ivory. You will be delighted with them. You will be surprised at the price.

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TOILET RAZORS
TOILET COMBS
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The A. L. Clark Drug Co.
Norway, Maine 50-51

DON'T FORGET TO GET

BALLARD'S GOLDEN OIL

Greatest throat and lung remedy. No opiates or alcohol. On pleasant to take. 25 and 50 cents at all dealers. 50tf

NORTH FRYEBURG

Arthur Bemis spent several days the past week in Sanbornville. Mrs. Alice Charles, Mrs. Kate Libby, and Mattie Gupit, visited Annie Mitchell, Tuesday. They also visited Mrs. Lilla Walker, Wednesday and Mrs. Clara Hastings, Friday.

School closed Friday after a successful term, taught by Miss Rines of Westchester. Friday at 10 o'clock, the children held their Christmas exercises at the school house.

Several attended the chicken pie supper and dance at Stow town hall, Thursday evening.

Sadie Thurston visited May Charles, Friday.

Aunt Rebecca Charles and daughter, Lizzie, spent the day Friday with Mrs. Alice Webb and family.

Mrs. Will Merrill of Lovell spent one day the past week at Jay Chandler's.

Rev. H. H. Hoyt of Hiram visited at Bert Eastman's over Sunday.

Sunday, December 12 was one of the best days that we have had this fall. No snow and as warm as summer and as many autos were on the streets as at any time in the summer.

Mrs. Alice Chandler entertained the Ladies' Social Circle at her home on Wednesday, December 15th.

Rufus Flint and wife of South Chatham visited at George Shaw's, Saturday.

Sadie Flint is teaching school at Stow. Perley Libby of Kezar Falls is visiting friends in the place.

Hubert Quincy spent a few days the past week with his parents in Boston. His wife and children visited at W. H. Howard's while he was absent.

Z. W. Chandler and family are visiting at J. L. Chandler's at North Chatham.

Leah Binaford, who has been working in Fryeburg, is home.

Helen Byron, Louise Pitman and Ralph Pitman, visited Tressie Walker, Sunday.

Ivory Pinkham was in the place the past week.

Bert Emery and Frank Shaw, who have been working in the woods at Green Hill, have finished work and are now at home.

Senden Pinkham and son, George, called on friends in the place last week.

OXFORD

The Sophomore class of the high school held a social in Sons of Temperance hall, Friday evening. A short literary program was carried out after which games were played. Ice cream, cake and candy were on sale. A goodly sun was realized from the evening's entertainment.

The teachers of the town met in the high school room, Friday evening to study school problems. Supt. Holden spoke very interestingly on the school room, its care and ventilation, and also on the management of the recitation.

All the village teachers were present as well as Beth Morris from the Webster school and Helen Morris from Fryeburg. Principal Moore of the high school was elected president and an executive committee was appointed to arrange the course of study for the winter months. The next meeting will be held at Welchville on the evening of January 7th. All teachers in town are urged to be present.

There was a flag raising at the High street school on Friday at 3:30. The flag and staff were presented by C. T. Wardwell in behalf of the T. A. Roberts Post, several members of which were present. The W. R. C. attended in a body. Remarks were made by several of the visitors.

The kitchen at the M. E. vestry is ready for use.

Joseph Robinson is gaining rapidly. Mrs. Starbird and Marguerite were in Norway, Friday afternoon to attend the "Birth of a Nation."

Mrs. G. B. Turner is helping in the store during the Christmas rush.

Mrs. H. S. Denning, now of Kittery, is expected here for the Christmas season.

Hattie Andrews called on friends and relatives on High street, Sunday.

There are several cases of mumps in town, but so far this disease has been confined to the younger children. So far as is known there are no new cases of chicken pox.

PIGEON HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tyner attended the play, Birth of a Nation at Norway, Saturday afternoon.

Isabelle Thayer is very seriously ill as a result of slipping and falling on the frozen ground.

Mrs. John King and daughter, Irene, were in Lewiston, Saturday.

Philip King has traded horses. Randall Mayberry and Chas. Denning attended the 30th anniversary of St. Elmo Lodge, K. of P., Friday evening at Mechanic Falls.

Mrs. Mattie Haskell and Mrs. William Bumpus started on a shopping expedition in the twin cities, Friday.

Agnes Campbell has been assisting in caring for Isabelle Thayer.

PORTER CENTER

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Stanley took supper at L. E. Norton's, Sunday night, Dec. 12.

Nora Durgin and Myrtle Esty visited Mrs. Hattie Norton one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Noyes Norton visited friends at Hiram recently.

Charlie A. Roberts has sold his largest yoke of oxen to L. Pendexter of Parsonfield.

M. Nutter and son of Effingham, N. H., was in this place recently looking after working oxen.

Frank L. Roberts caught a pickeral one day last week through the ice which weighed 1 lb. and 10 ozs. and was 19 in. long—a pretty fellow.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Norton visited at W. T. Norton's at Kezar Falls one day last week.

Orion Black has lost one of his work horses. We are sorry for him as they were a fine pair, valuable and very handsome.

We understand that Chas. Philbrick has lost some of his sheep by dogs. W. N. Durgin has been helping W. F. Gilman the past week.

EAST SWEDEN

H. Haskell and wife visited at Linton Merrill's at Sweden; also at O. G. Plummer's at Bridgton Highlands last week.

NEWRY CORNER

The Bear River Grange, elected the following officers at their last meeting:

W. M. L. A. Wight.
O. A. L. Bailey.
J. C. Nalle Holt.
Stew.—Roy Stearns.
S. S. Earl Davis.
Chap.—L. A. Roberts.
Treas.—S. P. Davis.
Sec.—C. P. Saunders.
G. K. D. O. Smith.
Cores.—Addie Saunders.
Pomona—Sadie Wight.
Flora—Mrs. Sarah Stearns.
L. A. S.—Sima Smith.

The installation will be January 8, an all day meeting with dinner. The installation in the afternoon will be public.

There will be a Christmas tree and entertainment in the hall, Friday evening, December 24. Mrs. Emma T. Young and her pupils will furnish the entertainment.

Saturday night, December 18th, there will be a dance in Grange Hall. Wight's orchestra will furnish music.

The traveling which has been so bad of late is much improved as the roads are getting worn down smooth.

OTISFIELD GORE

Leland Buck and Blanche Haskell of Harrison were week-end guests at his sister's, Mrs. Ruth Brett's.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Douglass have returned to their home in Bethel, after spending the past week with her father, A. K. Hill.

Frederick Robie Grange held their regular meeting Saturday evening, with a large attendance. Visitors were present from several granges. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

Master—Ralph Merrill.
Cores.—Ernest Wardwell.
Lecturer—Ruth Brett.
Steward—Charles Thurlow.
Assist. Steward—Lester Witham.
Chaplain—Mrs. Albert Whitman.
Treasurer—Willard Brett.
Secretary—Ida F. Grover.
Gate Keeper—Roy Wilkey.
Flora—Mie Merrill.
Pomona—Sadie Bowser.
Flora—Edith Day.
Lady Asst.—Maggie Pool.

WATERFORD

Dr. Stimpson was called to Portland, Monday by the sudden illness of Mrs. Margaret Sanford, his wife's sister.

Annual election of Mt. Trem Lodge, F. and A. M. next Tuesday evening.

Hour of song, Sunday evening at the Rounds' home.

Miss Baird went to Philadelphia last week for a visit with relatives.

The "Birth of a Nation" drew a number to Norway, Friday.

Lee Billings is hunting in Greenwood. The Union Christmas concert this year will be held in South Waterford on Christmas evening.

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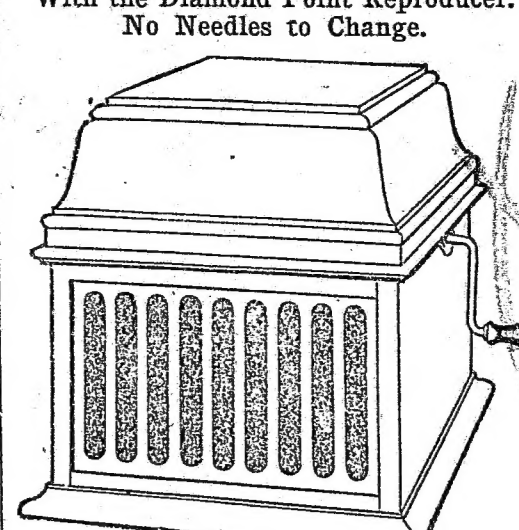
Mrs. Newell Goodwin returned Friday from Bridgton where she has been four weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Wallace Warren, who has a daughter, born, December 8th.

B. H. Learned and family called at A. H. Powers', Sunday.

Walter Bartlett from Bethel spent Saturday and Sunday at Lapham's Camps.

BUY AN EDISON AMBEROLA

With the Diamond Point Reproducer.
No Needles to Change.



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115 Main St., - - - Norway, Me.

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Who is there but what can use a good Fountain Pen? We are showing a dandy line of non-leakable, self-filling Fountain Pens, some in plain, hard rubber cases, some silver bound and gold bound. Not at all expensive unless you desire to give an expensive gift. If you do you can buy a Fountain Pen up to \$10.00.

THE A. L. CLARK DRUG CO.
NORWAY, MAINE. 50-51

SCHOOL TEACHERS

Teaching is wearing work, and only those teachers who take good care of their health can stand the daily strain of the class-room. The dull eyes, pale cheeks, weary head and unstrung nerves of many teachers show the need of building up the nerve-force, improving the blood and helping the general condition. Have you heard of "L. F." Atwood's Medicine? It is a very old home remedy, and entirely reliable. You can take it with the assurance that only good effects follow its use. It is not a "cure-all," but a general conditioner which acts on the stomach, liver and bowels, and by putting these important organs in order, improves the appetite, purifies the blood, strengthens the nerves and clears the head. Try a bottle and note how soon you feel its beneficial influence.

Buy a 35c bottle at your nearest store, or write to-day for free sample.
"L. F." Medicine Co., Portland, Me.

The Bank Like the Tree

gains size and strength through its branches—the depositors. And, like the tree, it lends its stored-up strength to help depositors branch out and grow bigger, keeping them alive during the winter of quiet business.

It is our business to help business. We are gaining strength because our depositors are gaining strength.

It would be to the advantage of every person to do their banking business here.

THE NORWAY NATIONAL BANK

NORWAY, MAINE.

Bailey's Variety Store

HARRISON, MAINE.

A Nice Line of Holiday Goods are in Stock.

Suitable gifts for all.

Fancy goods, Novelties, Gift Handkerchiefs for the whole family.

Only 9 days before Christmas. Come and look over our practical stock.

We have the agency for the "Leswerk Laundry Tablet" in Harrison, Waterford and Otisfield.

Bailey's Variety Store

HARRISON, MAINE 51-53

FLETCHER'S

HOME MADE

Ribbon Candy

Candy Baskets and Cans for the Christmas Tree. We have a large assortment of Utopian Chocolates in fancy Boxes and Baskets. Our home made 20c Chocolates are big value for the money.

FLETCHER'S

Opposite Beals Tavern 51-52 NORWAY, MAINE

THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT--IS THE SPIRIT OF GIVING

It's the sense of doing something for somebody else to whom we want to give pleasure. Our part of it, as dealers in men's merchandise, is to provide gifts, some costly, some very inexpensive; things that men want to receive; things that you want to give. You'll find a big selection here. We have all sorts of things that men and young men and boys will like for their personal use. Suits, Overcoats, and all sorts of lesser articles of apparel. Below we give a few suggestions; we have tried to make gift-giving to men easy for you. You'll be better suited to shop early while stocks are full.

Neckwear Beautiful new weaves and colorings for the new holiday season. We have an unusually large stock for your selection. All the popular shapes in two grades, 25c and 50c.

Arm Bands Made of fancy silk elastic in neat, dresy colors. Each in a fancy individual gift box. All colors, 25c and 50c.

Handkerchiefs Are always appreciated as gifts. One never has too many. We have cotton handkerchiefs in white, red and blue for 5c; hemstitched white handkerchiefs, 10c, 15c and 25c; with initial, 10c, 15c and 25c; silk handkerchiefs, plain or initial for 50c.

Yankee Hosiery Why not give him a box of hose? We have the Yankee Knit hosiery in silk lisle, four pair in fancy box, assorted colors as you like, \$1.00 per box. 25c for single pairs. We have other hose in cotton or wool at prices from 15c to 50c.

Men's Caps In fancy woolsens, new shapes with fur-lined ear bands, 50c and \$1.00.

Barker Collars He would like a few Barker, all linen collars, 15c for 25c.

Bath Robes Are more popular each season. Every man would like to own one. Every woman would be satisfied with one of our warm, comfortable robes. All colors, \$3.00, \$5.00 and \$7.00.

Suspenders Make useful gifts. We have them in good wearing qualities in lots of patterns, all in fancy boxes, 25c and 50c.

Sweaters He will like a sweater. Choosing is easy out of our stock. We have a fine assortment in blues, grays, reds and other colors. Some without collars, others have collars of various kinds. Men's sweaters from \$1.00 to \$5.00. Boys' sweaters \$1.00 to \$3.00.

Fancy Shirts Neat, new, attractive patterns in fancy shirts, with separate or attached cuffs, white grounds with stripes of various colors, three qualities, 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50. Flannel shirts in brown, gray, tan, etc. \$1.00; \$1.50 and up to \$3.00. Boys' shirts in several styles, 50c.

Men's Gloves Gloves of all kinds for all kind of purposes. Dress gloves, lined or unlined, 50c; \$1.00 and \$1.50. Wool gloves in colors, 25c, and 50c. Fur lined gloves and mittens in all grades up to \$3.50.

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THE STORE WHERE SANTA MAKES HIS PURCHASES.

There is no better Xmas Gift for your Friend who owns a Talking machine than a Record.

Every time the record is played your friend thinks of you, and you and he can think of the pleasure you are receiving from each other and contributing to other friends.

I have over a thousand Victor and Columbia records in stock and all types of machines of both makes.

Come in and hear all the latest and best records--The Victor and Columbia have exclusive contract with the best Musical Artists.

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WE HAVE MANY ARTICLES SUITABLE FOR HOLIDAY GIFTS. Consisting of a large line of Reed and Rockers, Upholstered Leather Seat Rockers, Morris Chairs, Fancy Reception Chairs. Children's Chairs, Rockers and Cribs.

Large line of Baskets of all kinds. Framed Pictures, Screens in bamboo and oak frames, Bamboo Book Cases and Quartered Oak Sectional Book Cases, Large small Mirrors, 30 inch Felt Covered Folding Card Tables, Mahogany Serving Trays with Glass Bottoms, Red Cedar Chests, Mat Covered Utility Boxes, Kitchen Cabinet, Roll Top Desks, Library Tables, Oak Dressers, Commodes and Chiffoniers.

Sham Holders, something neat, new and needful. Stools which are a handy thing to have in the kitchen. Practical Pool Tables with felt covers, live rubber tables and composition Ivory Balls. You can have hours pleasure with these.

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NORWAY, MAINE

REAL ESTATE CONVEYANCES.

Western District

November.

Frank W. Meserve, Portland, to Kate Straus, New York, N. Y.; land on the shore of Kezar Lake in Lovell.

Francis L. Watson, Hiram, to John F. Watson, Hiram; homestead farm in Hiram.

Francis L. Watson, Hiram, to John F. Watson, Hiram; meadow land in Denmark.

L. C. Cushman, Lovell, to Elmer E. Fox, Lovell; land in Lovell.

Elmer A. Harnden, Fryeburg, to Edith H. Jameson, Fryeburg; land and buildings in Fryeburg.

David Bell and Rosabelle Bell, both of Fryeburg, to E. Chandler Buzzell, Fryeburg, and J. Waldo McIntire, Conway; two parcels of land at Toll Bridge, Fryeburg.

Joseph Buzzell, Fryeburg, to E. Chandler Buzzell, Fryeburg, and J. Waldo McIntire, Conway, N. H.; land in Stow.

E. Chandler Buzzell, Fryeburg, and J. Waldo McIntire, Conway, N. H., to Susan T. Fraser, Fryeburg; land in Fryeburg.

Eliza A. G. Stickney, Brownfield, to Charles E. Hill, Brownfield; land on Mill street, East Brownfield.

Charles Coffin, Methuen, Mass., to David A. Bradley and Samuel Evans, Fryeburg; land in Lovell.

William C. Bean, Fryeburg, to Richard Keefe, Fryeburg; homestead in Fryeburg.

D. Raymond Garland, Porter, to Ruth A. Mason, Porter; land in Porter.

Perley F. Richardson, Denmark, to Edward Burton Dresser and Mabel W. Dresser, Denmark; land at "Denmark Corner."

Edward Burton Dresser and Mabel W. Dresser, both of Denmark, to Perley F. Richardson, Denmark; land at Denmark Corner.

Perley F. Richardson, Denmark, to Charles E. Cobb, Denmark; land at Denmark Corner.

Mrs. Jennie Lane, Ardmore, Pa., to Nettie W. Brackett, Cornish; land on shore of Barker Pond, Cornish.

Eugene McKean, Stoneham, to Will F. Small, Stoneham; land and buildings in Stoneham.

Ezra W. Bosworth, Hiram, Simeon E. Eaton, Brownfield and Sewall M. Hobson, Conway, N. H., to Harrison A. Brooks, Brownfield; land situated in Intervale, so called, in Brownfield.

Andrew Smith, Denmark, to Chauncey B. Richardson, Denmark; land in Denmark.

Jennie P. Ayer, Cornish, to Lewis L. Files, Gorham; land in Hiram.

James Evans, Hiram, to Clifton Evans, Hiram; three parcels of land in Hiram.

Jared F. Berry and William Wallace Berry, Denmark, to William W. Blackman, New York, N. Y.; wild land in Sebago and Denmark.

Heirs of Orlando A. Blake, late of Brownfield, to Herbert S. Blake, Brownfield; land in Brownfield.

Edward B. Hastings, Fryeburg, Adm. of Sara F. Stearns, late of Hiram, to Edith H. Jameson, Fryeburg; land and buildings in Hiram.

Hiram W. Seavey, Brownfield, to Elmer Thompson, New York, N. Y.; land in Brownfield.

Edward B. Hastings, Executor of Mary A. Blake, late of Fryeburg, to David A. Bradley, Fryeburg; land at the "Harbor" in Fryeburg.

Nellie O. Brazier, and Alice M. Gilpatrick, Hiram and George E. Brazier, Standish, to the Bridgton and Saco River Railroad Company, Portland; land in Hiram.

William T. Welch, Brooklyn, N. Y., to Charles Ladd, Fryeburg; land in Fryeburg village.

Fryeburg village, to L. F. Stacy, Porter; land in Porter.

Lydia F. Stacy, Porter, to Frank E. Holmes, Porter; land on shore of Concord Pond, Porter.

Wilbur D. Monton, Sweden, and Elizabeth M. Newcomb, Bridgton, to David A. Bradley, Fryeburg; wild land at North Fryeburg.

PROBATE COURT INVENTORIES

November Term.

Hon. A. E. Herrick, Judge.

Estate of Ellen E. Fuller, late of Canton, real estate \$1500.00, goods and chattels \$7050.00, rights and credits \$245.00, total \$8450.00. M. J. Howes, J. N. Foye, and P. E. Handy appraisers. Orlistus C. Fuller, admr.

Estate Kate Walker, late of Lovell, real estate \$1856.00, rights and credits \$2060.00, total \$3916.00. N. F. Fox, S. P. Harold and Frank Harmon, appraisers. Geo. H. Walker, admr.

Estate Martha A. Frye, late of Fryeburg, real estate \$1000.00, goods and chattels \$1375.34, total \$2464.14. Perley P. Burnham, Mellen Plummer and Frank P. Davis, appraisers. Edward C. Walker, admr.

Estate Merritt F. Damon, late of Norway, rights and chattels \$2209.16. Dennis Pike, Elton F. Brown and T. C. Morrill, appraisers. Henrietta Chieh, admr.

Estate Sewell Austin, late of Norway, real estate \$550.00, goods and chattels \$38.00, rights and credits \$729.63, total \$1367.63. C. F. Whitman, David Flood and Geo. H. Austin appraisers. John T. Austin, admr.

Estate Ira M. Pearce, late of Hebron, goods and chattels \$377.00. J. S. Wright, G. M. Atwood and Wirt Stanley, appraisers. J. F. Moody, admr.

Estate of Peleg Thompson Wadsworth, late of Hiram, real estate \$5100.00, goods and chattels \$1424.00, rights and credits \$1149.01, total \$7673.01. O. L. Stanley, Munroe French and D. F. Durgin, appraisers. Ruth R. Wadsworth, Ex.

Estate Faustina C. Brown, late of Paris, rights and credits \$2683.73. G. M. Atwood, Chas. H. Howard and W. O. Frothingham, appraisers. John S. Brown, Ex.

Estate Eldron H. Stearns, late of Paris, real estate \$900.00, goods and chattels \$45.50, rights and credits \$3723.10, total \$4668.60. Geo. W. Berry, O. L. Peabody and Geo. L. Briggs appraisers. Chester H. Lane, Jr., Ex.

Estate of Mary R. Marble, late of Paris, rights and credits \$375.00. W. O. Frothingham, W. L. Frothingham and Stanley M. Wheeler, appraisers. Fanny F. Pierce and Elizabeth H. Thayer, exes.

Estate Mark A. Elliott, late of Rumford, real estate \$300.00, goods and chattels \$1112.00, rights and credits \$11,026.00, total \$12,438.00. J. H. Martin F. B. Martin and A. J. Marble, appraisers. Laura S. Elliott, Ex.

In Bowdoin

In the Bowdoin Medical college we find from this vicinity: Clarence Joel Fernald, Hebron; Gard Wilson Twaddle, Bethel, fourth year. Henry Lathrop Dyer, Fryeburg; William Holt, North Bridgton, second year.

In Bowdoin College are Seniors--John Doane, Churchill, Maine; Raymond Horace Larabee, Bridgton.

Juniors--Philip Hacker Cobb, Denmark; Roland Hacker Cobb, Denmark; Lafayette Francis Dow, South Paris.

Sophomores--Murray Murch Bigelow, South Paris; Percy Elias Farrum, Canton, Lovell; Henry Marshall Howard, East Andover; Clyde Stanley Murch, South Casco; Timothy Raymond Stearns, Rumford.

Freshmen--Raymond Loring Atwood, Paris; Fred Babson Chabourne, East Fryeburg; Rand Augustus Dunham, Rumford; Everett Freeman Larabee, Bridgton; Henry Chester Nelson, Rumford; Allan Whitney Sylvester, Harrison; Francis Codd Warren, Rumford.

BUCKFIELD.

Streaked Mountain

Cecil N. Maxim of Poland Springs has been visiting at his father's, E. H. Maxim's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Dudley of Hebron were at E. H. Maxim's, Monday.

F. Harlow had a dance in his hall, Saturday night.

Kimble & Son are beginning to cut the timber on the Bessey farm.

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RUMFORD CENTER.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thurston of Sebatus has been visiting relatives in town.

Myrtle Green of Rumford, was the guest of Susan Martin over Sunday.

C. V. L. C. met with Mrs. Charles Morse, Thursday afternoon.

After the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess consisting of chicken sandwiches, cake and coffee.

Gentlemen's night at Rumford Grange was a pleasant occasion. The program included: music by the gentlemen; story by Harry Elliott; reading Universal prayer by Henry French; talk, land marks of New England by Rev. Mr. Cornish; music by men's quartet, Ellis River; reading, Ellyn Elliott "When Rufus Brown joined the Grange"; poem by Lowell Elliott; poem by R. B. Stratton, "Historical sketch of Henry Longfellow"; music by Rumford Center orchestra; music by George Kimball.

Refreshments of oranges, bananas, grapes, apples, candy and peanuts were served.

Linnie Lumber, after spending a two weeks' vacation with her parents in Brooks, returned Saturday to teach her winter term of school.

Henry French and family, Fred Coffin and wife, went to Rumford to see the "Birth of a Nation."

EAST GREENWOOD.

Mrs. Lincoln Holmes of Waterford, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will Yates. Mamie Sumner is working there. Mildred Parker spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Yates.

Tubbs school commenced Monday, the 6th, Katherine Flint, teacher.

Oscar Doughty is stopping at home. He has been working for Ralph Richardson.

Cora Doughty is caring for little Leaton Sumner while his mother is away.

A few of the young folks attended the dance at the Club House, North Norway, Saturday night. Reported a small crowd but a good time.

Loren Roberts returned home Saturday from his week's hunting trip, but minus a deer.

EAST PERU.

Philip Keene of East Summer is through work for the Bennett Brothers and is at work for Hart Oldham.

Frank Verrill of Mechanic Falls has been in the place on business.

Harry Buswell of North Buckfield was the over-night guest of John Smith.

Donald Bryant is gaining very slowly but is not yet out of danger.

School has closed. Ruby Mahan has gone to Boston to spend her vacation and will return to teach the winter term.

Charlie Clark is so much improved that his nurse, Miss Morgan, has returned to Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan have been to Boston. Mrs. P. Chase will stay at Mrs. Sullivan's father's until their return.

DICKVALE.

Herman Fuller is canvassing for a new kind of a lamp.

Will Dixon is working for his son-in-law Mr. Fuller.

Oscar Allen has been visiting his daughter, Edith Cheney.

Linus Liffie has been building him a new hen-house.

Oscar Putnam is working in the woods for Stowell yarding out birch and hauling it to the mill in this place.

Arthur Child is moving some of his furniture into his new house at West Peru.

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SHEARS--of all kinds, prices 25c. to \$4.00.

SCISSORS--pocket, embroidery, manicure, button hole, etc.

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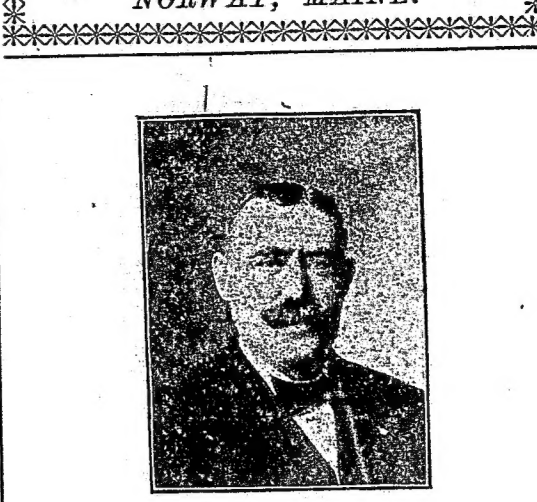
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—HERE IS THE PLAN—

Members starting with 2c and increasing 2c each week for fifty weeks receive \$5.00 and interest at 2 per cent.

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is advancing in price and we would advise placing orders early. Remember that as a general thing all storm windows have to be ordered, so place your orders as early as possible to get better prices and to assure delivery before the cold weather, which will need them.

stock of weather boarding, shingles, roofing, hardwood flooring, is complete.

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FRYEBURG

It is not likely that any one in Fryeburg will be found without a car in 1916 for every one can get what they want right at home even if Mr. Ford has gone abroad. He has left good agents in Fryeburg for the Ford and the Oakland which is one of the neatest cars for the money and it is a very easy riding car, has all the latest improvements. The agent, Harold Perkins has already placed several orders to be delivered at once. There are two cars, an Oakland and a Ford 1916 models on exhibition at the drug store that attract much attention.

Herbert Hodson was called to Ossipee, last Thursday as a witness in court. Mr. Hodson was going to Ossipee several weeks ago and assist in caring for a man who had been run over by an automobile driven by a man from Chorcorua. The injured man died, hence the lawsuit.

The friends of John F. Phillips, who recently sold his home on Main street and went to New Hampshire to live will regret to learn of his illness and confinement in a hospital in Woodsville, N. H. Mr. Phillips was a cousin of the Atwoods and came here 16 years ago from New Hampshire. His wife died last spring.

Charles Perkins of Bridgton has been visiting his wife.

Charles Hurlin, who has been ill, is somewhat improved. His friends hope to see him out soon.

Kate Abbott, who teaches in Farmington, is at her home on Portland street. William Howe and wife and Roy Hill went to Georgia last week, where they have work for the winter.

Ad. Rogers' family have moved to Windham, where Mr. Rogers will work in a mill.

Nathan Sanborn was at W. R. Tarbox's last Friday.

Stephen Abbott and wife spent Sunday with Charles Abbott and sister. Mrs. Barker and Mrs. Thurston will board with Osgood Pike's family during the cold weather. Miss Pike will go to Boston.

Levi Johnson who was working in Cook's mill had the misfortune to have one of his fingers amputated and his hand quite badly cut, recently.

Mrs. Charton Warren was a guest of William Warren and wife, Thursday. Charles Warren of Massachusetts was in town last week.

Several people in the village have severe colds.

Osgood Pike is having steam heat and electric lights put into his house.

Augusta Walker finished her school in Haley neighborhood, Friday.

Mrs. Marshall Wentworth and daughter are visiting her parents, Nathaniel Walker and wife.

GREENWOOD
Mrs. Nina Estes, Mrs. Gladys Noyes from South Paris, visited their brother, George C. Cole and family recently.

Mrs. F. J. Cole went to the Lewiston C. M. G. hospital for appendicitis, Thursday.

Luella and Della Cole from West Paris are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Emmons.

L. B. Emmons shot two deer Thursday and R. B. Swan shot one.

Herman Emmons and Ralph Richardson shot a deer, Friday.

Willard J. Farr and Freeman Whitman of West Paris, each got a deer, Friday.

R. E. Morgan has bought a horse of Kella Heikinen.

Mrs. Mildred Cummings and Gladys Frost visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Frost of Norway, Sunday.

NORTH NEWRY.
Wilfred Kilgore has returned from Grafton, where he has been guiding a party.

H. M. Kendall of Sunday River, was in this place, Friday.

Will Sawyer of Lewiston has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Hartly Hanscom, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight and son, Daniel went to Hanover, Sunday.

Braun's boarding house is closed and Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy are working for H. O. Chapman. Mr. Chapman has bought a new pair of horses.

Luella Lord, who has been a guest at R. W. Kilgore's, returned home, Monday.

LOCKE'S MILLS.
Curtis Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rand and son, Eben, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Farrington and daughter, Ruth were in Norway, Friday to attend the picture play, "The Birth of a Nation."

Mrs. George Turrell and son, Lewis, were guests of friends at South Paris the week-end.

Leslie Davis' brother from Hanover, visited with him, Sunday.

King Bartlett of Norway has moved his family here. Mrs. Bartlett is the station agent.

Rev J. H. Little of Bethel preached at the Union church, Sunday.

The teachers of Bethel and Greenwood held an interesting meeting at the school house Friday.

Frank Cummings of Milton, called on friends in town, Sunday.

George Tuttle visited his brother, Byron at South Paris, Friday.

Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, a native of Oxford Co., who has been identified with Chicago's public schools for 53 years—the last six as superintendent, has retired. She is 71 years old.

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There are hundreds of people in town who were not the least bit surprised when they read in the Advertiser that the Noyes Drug Store are selling Mi-o-na on a guarantee to refund the money in case it did not relieve. This remarkable dyspepsia remedy will relieve the worst case of indigestion, headache, dizziness, or the general played-out condition that afflicts every one suffering with stomach trouble. Mi-o-na does not simply relieve, it aims to cure.

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The best kind of advertising is the praise of a pleased customer, and there are hundreds in town today, praising Mi-o-na because it does what it is advertised to do. A few months ago they could eat nothing without suffering what the result would be. Since using Mi-o-na, they eat what they want and when they want with no fear of suffering.

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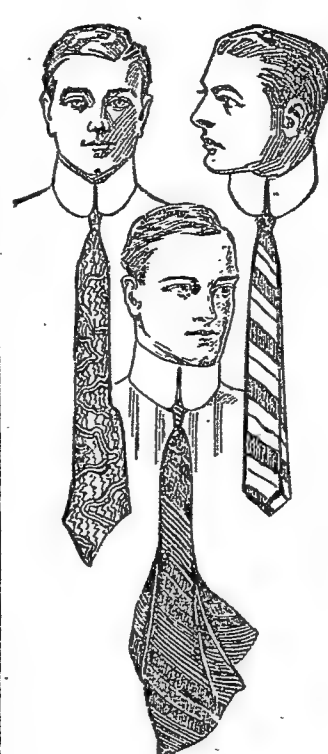
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HANDKERCHIEFS—All kinds for men and boys. Cotton, linen, silk, 5c to 50c. Initial handkerchiefs, 10c, 15c, 25c and 50c. Men's and children's handkerchiefs in pretty boxes.

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GLOVES AND MITTENS—Men's and Boys'. Large stock to select from. Fur lined gloves, and mittens, ladies' and men's, \$2.00 to \$4.50.

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SUIT CASE UMBRELLAS—\$1.25 to \$3.00. Nice gift.

Large stock of Underwear—Shirts—Sweaters—Mackinaws—Fur Coats—Fur Caps for men and ladies.

Men's and Boys' Suits—Overcoats and all wearables for men and boys at the—

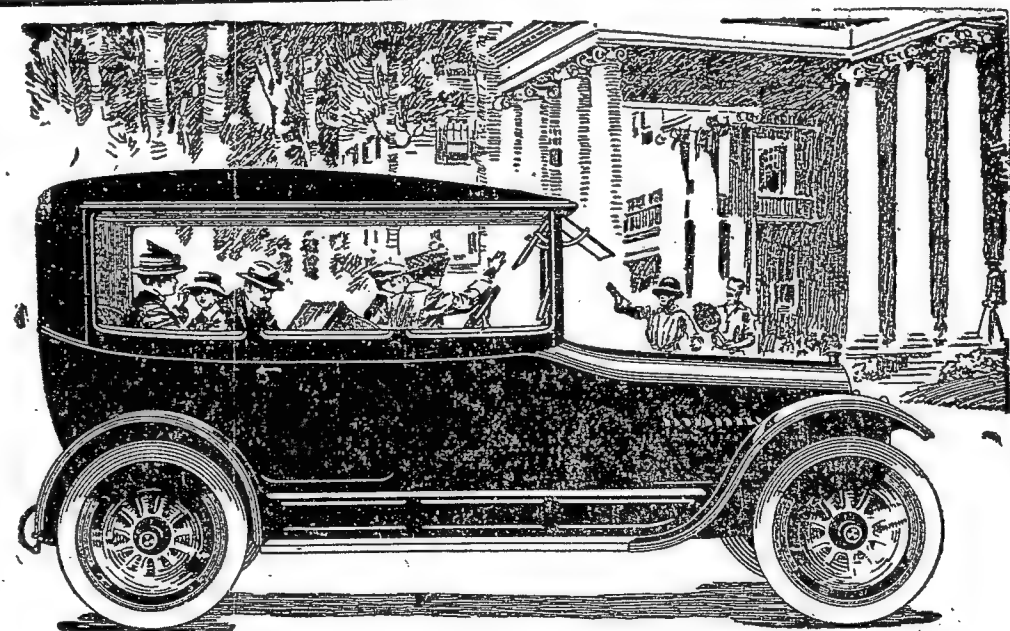
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Stores open Christmas week—We invite you to call.

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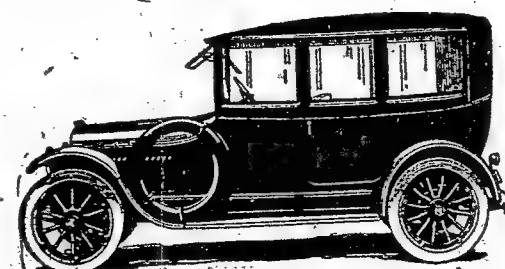


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So this one car serves for winter and summer. It is never laid up. And it serves the whole family, for anyone can drive it. Not another car built so adapts itself to weather and conditions. It is really two perfect cars in one. We have just received a model. Let us show it to you.



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NORWAY AND VICINITY.

HARKEN BACK ON THE PAST.

Thirty-four Years Ago This Week.
Dry wood \$5.00 per cord.
Eggs are selling at the store for 27 cents—Can't say whether this is the retail price for a single egg or a dozen.
The Dr. Bradley estate of Fryeburg recently probated, represents a value of from \$300,000.00 to \$500,000.00.
Hon. H. M. Beane offers to sell the Ordway Grove to the corporation for the value of the wood and timber. The Advertiser from the post office and is succeeded by A. J. Nevers.
Christmas is knocking at the door, and as many are wondering what to give their friends for a present, we would suggest that a copy of the Advertiser for one year to absent friends, would seem to us to be a weekly reminder of your good will.
The Daisy Shoe factory at South Paris is in operation. G. M. Dailey, J. J. Marsden and J. B. Robbins is the firm.

Twenty-five Years Ago This Week.
Chas. G. Mason is bookkeeping for the Norway Tanning Company.
The drama, "Down by the Sea," was played by the scholars of the Grammar school, Wednesday evening, at Concert Hall. Much credit was due the teacher, Nellie Dinsmore. The money will be used toward gymnasium fund.
J. Pledge, the meat man has moved from South Paris to his stand recently purchased on Winter street, where he is occupying his new shop.
Charles F. Greenleaf has had a pension granted.

Postmaster L. I. Bartlett fractured his left arm at the elbow, Thursday morning. He was ascending a ladder to the scaffold in the barn, when the ladder slipped and he fell to the floor. He is doing as well as could be expected.
Paris item: Theodore Thayer has been in Boston the past week selling horses. He was offered \$1000 for Lucius A., by a party wanting him to drive double.
Sam'l Young has left the tannery and moved to Portland.
Mrs. M. A. Houghton of South Waterford is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. S. Kimball.

Twenty-three Years Ago This Week.
George L. Curtis, the expressman, recently lost a pair of pants from his sleeping room. There were thirty dollars in one of the pockets.
The trained horses have been at the Opera House two days this week. There was a good attendance. Prof. Bristol apparently could make the horses do about anything that he said.

Next Monday evening at the Norway Literary Society, the subject for debate opened by E. F. Smith, esq., and Judge Whitman: Resolved that a man cannot practice law and be a Christian.

South Paris—They are shipping a large amount of goods at the store factory.
C. R. Penley has loaded a car load of Christmas trees for the New York market, 4000 in number.

Earl Smart received a severe cut on his forehead from an axe on Saturday.
Hon. George F. Hammond writes an article in the paper telling how the jail at Paris Hill is safe, strong and secure, a healthy place, could be repaired cheaply and has a fine record.

Charles T. Witt a Norway boy, was elected alderman in the first district in Boston in the recent election.

I. N. Small is building an additional story on a portion of his residence on Bridge street.

As Justus Millett was coming from Young Hill with a large load of household furniture, while descending one of the many hills he discovered a dense cloud of smoke coming from the hind part of his load, where a large cooking range had been packed with newspapers to prevent rattling. The range was hot from coals left in it that had started a fire. One chair was ruined. The burning articles were removed in time to save the load.

The "Snow Flake" the paper of the Congregational Fair, was issued the first of the week. Its advertising columns were well patronized and it was a success.

George R. Stephenson of Ansonia, Mass., is at work in C. B. Cummings chair factory building canoes.

F. H. Noyes and L. B. Andrews will open a dry goods store in the Webb store. Belle Boyd, the Rebel spy, lectured for the benefit of Harry Rust Post, G. A. R., at the Opera House, Wednesday evening. \$125 was realized the first night by the Snow Flake Fair at the Congregational church.

South Paris—Marion Bessey of Paris, killed three foxes in two days recently and chopped a half cord of wood besides. He has a very nice fox house.

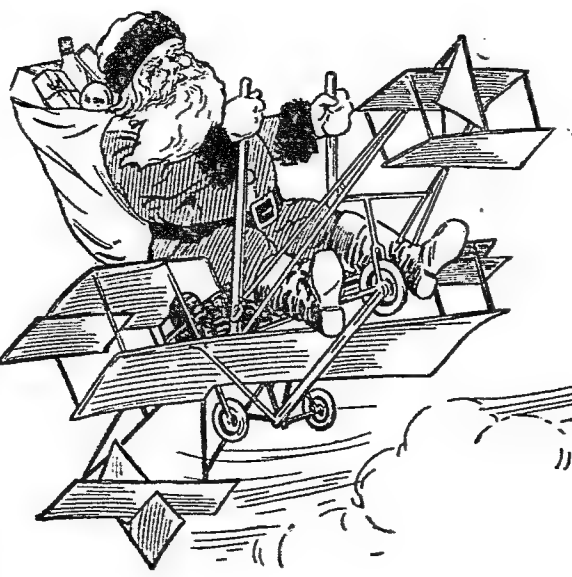
The paper contains an article favoring the location of the county buildings in South Paris. The buildings built followed very closely the plan set down in the article.

Thanksgiving Day and the Open Door.

Mrs. S. E. Bates Bartlett writes:—Few realize the meaning of Thanksgiving Day. I was invited by kind friends to spend the day at their home, and Mr. C. W. Chick came early with his auto to take me to their pleasant home on Paris street. He first gave me a nice ride up Main street, and it had been nearly fifty years since I was here the last time, and such changes, so many had moved away, many had fallen asleep, but few were here that I had talked with and walked these pleasant streets together with, for the 19th of this month I will be eighty-six years of age.

I have digressed from my subject, so will return. Mrs. Chick's rooms were made very attractive and pleasant that morning with lovely plants and other pretty flowers and ferns placed nearby. In one room I counted eight doors. Now I had been taking the wrong door every time I left my room, for I could not remember the right door to take, all he remembered the right door to take, and so I was in a strange place, and so many pleasant associations crowded in upon my mind, while many of them were so sad I could scarcely see for weeping.

Through the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Chick I was taken past the Advertiser Office, where they had so kindly taken my poorly written manuscript for short stories.



Yule-Tide Greetings

We wish our customers and friends a Merry Christmas and a full share of Happiness

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HOW TO STRIKE A SATISFACTORY AVERAGE BETWEEN OUR DESIRE TO GIVE AND OUR ABILITY TO PAY IS A PROBLEM WHICH WORRIES NEARLY EVERY

ONE AT CHRISTMAS TIME. Our stock offers an easy solution of the problem. In other words, it contains the kind of gifts you want to give at the price you want to pay. Our stock is extensive and contains something suitable for every member of the family. The list below will give you an idea of the lines which we carry. "SHOP EARLY."

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Our stock contains a wide variety of beautiful and useful gifts for women. The list below gives merely a hint of the excellent array on display at our store.

Books—Poems and prose in beautiful gift editions.
Vases—In all of the artistic wares.
China—A dainty bit of china is sure to please.
Cut Glass—As dazzling as diamonds.
Art Calendars—The latest artistic subjects.
Ivory Goods—Attractive single pieces and sets.
Manicure Sets—A gift which she will welcome.
Stationery—In special gift boxes.
Leather Goods—Bags, Auto Bags, Purses, Etc.
Confectionery—In fancy hand-painted boxes.
Sterling Silver—All of the latest novelties.
Toilet Cases—Combine beauty and utility.
Perfumes—The always-welcome gift.

FOR THE OLD FOLKS

Don't forget the old folks. Our stock will suggest many appropriate gifts which the older folks will appreciate.

Books, Calendars, Reading Glasses
Magazine Subscriptions, Etc.
Such articles should be purchased early, before the holiday rush begins.

TOILET GOODS

Toilet goods make practical, useful gifts. You can buy Brushes, Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets, Traveling Cases and all other staple goods of this nature at our regular, everyday prices. The selection of such goods betokens good judgment, for they are beautiful, durable and useful.

CAMERAS

Real Christmas cheer goes with a camera. Picture taking is a fascinating diversion and it also has its useful side. It provides a sort of pictorial history of one's life. Cameras have been so perfected that any one can become a successful amateur. We have a fine assortment of Eastman Kodaks. Be sure that some member of the family receives one. Prices from \$1.00 to \$20.00.

PERFUMES

Perfumes are suggestive of flowers and are always appropriate as gifts at Christmas time. Owing to the approach of Christmas, we have increased our line of Handkerchief Extracts, Toilet Waters, Cologne, Satchets, Etc. Any of these can be furnished in fancy gift packages.

BOOKS

Our book stock has been increased for the holiday season and includes the latest editions of all standard authors, besides a large variety of juvenile and special gift books. You'll enjoy looking at these books. Come in.

GIFTS FOR GIRLS

It is easy to select gifts for a girl—especially when you have a stock like ours to select from.

Cameras, Books, Watches, Jewelry, Pictures, Work Boxes, Gold Pens, Pocket Books, Toys, Toilet Articles, Games, Dolls, Etc.

Let the girls come to our store and get gift suggestions.

BUY THESE FOR THE BOYS

A boy is easily pleased, but he wants his full share of Christmas remembrances. We suggest:

Athletic Goods, Toys, Games, Books, Purses, Pocket Knives, Brushes, Pictures, Cameras, Etc.

Let the boys come in and see our stock.

CHINA AND CUT GLASS

Every woman appreciates pretty china and cut glass. In fact, most of them have a sort of "hobby" for collecting these handsome wares. We have an excellent stock of these goods in which exclusive patterns predominate.

We want the men to see these lines, because they are full of gift suggestions.

STYLISH STATIONERY

If in doubt—send stationery. There can never be anything more acceptable than a box of stylish stationery. Our stock contains the finest lot of stationery ever shown in this locality. Prices are reasonable. Fancy Box Papers with Holly Decorations, Desk Sets, Paper Weights, Gold Pens, Calendars, Etc.

CHOICE CANDIES

You will, of course, want something extra good in the way of Christmas Candies. We are agents for Page & Shaw and Apollo Chocolates. We also sell an excellent grade of bulk candies. Those who want attractive gift boxes of confectionery, should place their orders early.

FOUNTAIN PENS

We are agents for the Crocker Inkite Fountain Pens. There is no better pen on the market and any of your friends will welcome one as a gift. These pens come in an assortment of sizes and prices, so you'll have no trouble in finding one to meet your requirements. Prices \$2.50 to \$10.00.

Games as Gifts

Every member of the family enjoys good games. No matter what else you buy for the children, remember that their happiness will not be complete without a few of the new games, puzzles, etc.

TOYS

We have all of the new toys—Mechanical Toys and Novelties, too. We are prepared to supply a full line of toys—notwithstanding the war. Bring the children to see the toys.



FOR "MERE MAN"

Here are a few suggestions as to suitable gifts for men. We have scores of items which will please "him."

Desk Sets—For his private desk.
Books—He'll read and enjoy them.
Fountain Pens—A practical gift.
Cameras—You can enjoy it with him.
Cigars—We know his favorite smokes.
Traveling Sets—A good gift for any man.
Safety Razors—A good one will please.
Shaving Sets—A nice lot to select from.
Pocket Books—He probably needs one.
Hat Brushes—A very useful gift.
Clothes Brushes—A daily need.
Smoking Sets—Every man appreciates one.
Playing Cards—All the new and novel decks.

FOR THE LITTLE FOLKS

Christmas means much to the little folks. They believe in a benevolent Santa Claus. See that their stockings are well filled.

Dolls, Toys, Games, Juvenile Books
Bring the children in. They probably will let you know what they want "Santa" to bring.

LEATHER GOODS

Such goods are always in demand at Christmas time, because there is no question about the appropriateness of a nice leather article as a gift.

Ladies' Hand Bags, Auto Bags, Purses, Card Cases, Cigar Cases, Bill Books, Traveling Cases, Etc., are some of the articles to be found in our new and up-to-date stock of leather goods.

SMOKERS' GOODS

If you can't reform him, you can at least see that he smokes good cigars. We have fine cigars in special boxes of 25, 50 and 100 for the holidays. These are brands which the most critical smokers in this community have passed judgment on.

SHAVING SETS

Any man will be happy if he receives an up-to-date shaving outfit. If he isn't a self-shaver, start him on the right road by giving him a Safety Razor. Prices from \$1.00 to \$6.00. We have a full line of Razors, Safety Razors, Strops, Etc.

DOLLS

Christmas would not seem real to the little girls unless Santa brought a new doll. Our assortment of dolls is complete—Kid Dolls, Rag Dolls, China Dolls, Etc. Prices from \$1.00 to \$10.00. Let the girls come in and see the dolls.

The items listed in this ad should afford some valuable gift suggestions. Make a list of things you are mostly interested in and bring it with you when you visit our store.

73 Main St. **Hobbs' Variety Store**
Norway, Maine.

K-I-N-E-O RANGES AND HEATERS
ROUND OAK STEEL RANGES
SOLD ON EASY TERMS
New Ranges sold as low as \$31.00; \$2.00 down and 50 cents per week.
Old Ranges and Heaters taken in exchange for new.
ULMER INS. CO., G. W. HOBBS, S. J. RECORD
P. S.—Orders taken for all kinds of Stove Repairing.
HAVE YOU SEEN THE \$5 Holiday Traveling Bag
They are beauties in black, brown and tan. Brass and leather trimmings, and both leather and cloth linings. I have a large stock of the better grades up to \$12.00. Call and see them.
JAMES N. FAVOR
Proprietor of the Tucker Harness Store
91 MAIN STREET NORWAY, ME.

Packard's
Make Your Nickels and Dimes Count in Christmas Buying.
FORMERLY T...
Again this Store becomes with a Brand New Stock this Week—The Best Value
On our 25c counter we offer:—
BOOKS
Exceptional values in cloth bound books, fully illustrated. New titles. A few of the titles:—"The Border Boys with Mexican Rangers" "Comrades on River and Lake" "Comrades of the Ranch" "The Bungalow Boys North of Fifty Three" "Ben's Summer Boarders" "Three Little Women's Success" "Three Little Women" "Ruth Fielding and the Gypsies" "Ruth Fielding at Snow Camp" "Ruth Fielding of the Red Mill" "Ruth Fielding at Sunrise Farm" "The Motor Maids by Palm and Pine" "The Motor Maid at Sunrise Camp" "The Jolly Ten", etc.
DOLLS
For 25c we offer some of the most attractive dolls we have ever sold. There are gayly dressed dolls. Unbreakable dolls. Kewpies, etc., etc.
Imported Cups and Saucers. Low prices and decors., pure white china, floral and conventional borders in it. green, pink, purple and gray tints, gold edges and stripe handles. Each 50c.
Imported Shaving Mugs. Flare top, pink, green and tan luster shaded tops and handles, pink tinted roses. 10c each.
Toy Tea Sets—11 pc., three 1-3-4 in. cups, saucers 3-3-8, 3 in. coffee pot, creamer, 1-3-4 in. sugar tray, 1-2 x6-1-2 tray, litho Red Riding Hood designs in bright colors. 10c 50c per Set.
Hair Pins, 2 styles, sh. extra heavy hand polished steel, finely tapered prongs, 1st style white brilliants. 10c each.
Kewpies. Bisque Tango 1 3-1-2 in., 2 Kewpies joined in tango pose. 25c each.
Don't Forget Our New Location at the A...
Useful Gifts
WE WANT TO CALL ATTENTION TO A FEW OF OUR AVAILABLE LINES OF FOOTWEAR, WHICH ARE ALWAYS ACCEPTABLE CHRISTMAS GIFTS.
GROUND GRIPPER BOOTS for men and women. These are comfortable and durable. The price is \$5.50 for boots and \$5.00 for slippers. One customer tells us that they are the most satisfactory the most economical footwear they have ever worn.
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We also carry a very complete stock of American Beauty Princess Louise for \$2.25 and \$2.00. Also an endless variety of shoes for house wear, and warm slippers for men, women, and children, all prices.
House moccasins, we have an abundance of them—men's \$1.75; women's, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.75 and \$1.50; misses' \$1.00. A complete stock of rubber overshoes, leggings, boots, all kinds and prices, in fact our stock is very complete, fitted and suited here, and we want to say that our prices are right. We are glad to have them compared with any other. We pay postage on all mail orders, and all goods may be returned and money will be refunded.
Our store is open Monday and Saturday evenings, 20:00 to 6:15. Will be open every evening from December 21st to 24th. Call telephone or write.
N. Swett Shoe
Opera House Block, Tel. 38-
NORWAY, ME.
Oxford County's Auto Contribution
An all-day mission meeting with Mrs. Tena Twitchell at Fore street last week Thursday there will be a mission Wednesday with Mrs. Addie Rev. H. L. Faulkingham meetings some evenings the Adventist people at No. Mrs. Margaret Flemming the winter with her niece Treblecock.
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Make Your Nickels
and Dimes Count in
Christmas Buying.

Packard's 5, 10 and 25c Store NORWAY OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE. FORMERLY THE A. J. NEVERS VARIETY STORE.

Dolls,
Books,
Games
A Brand New Stock
of 5c, 10c and 25c
Merchandise.

Again this Store becomes the Center of Interest for Christmas Buying
with a Brand New Stock of Clean Merchandise, Purchased in Boston
this Week—The Best Value for 5c, 10c and 25c Holiday Gifts

On our 25c counter we offer:—

BOOKS

Exceptional values in cloth bound books, fully illustrated. A few of the titles:—"The Border Boys with Mexican Rangers" "Comrades on River and Lake" "Comrades on the Ranch" "The Bungalow Boys North of Fifty Three" "Bertha's Summer Boarders" "Three Little Women's Success" "Three Little Women" "Ruth Fielding and the Gypsies" "Ruth Fielding at Snow Camp" "Ruth Fielding of the Red Mill" "Ruth Fielding at Sunrise Farm" "The Motor Maids by Palm Pine" "The Motor Maid at Sunrise Camp" "The Jolly Ten" etc.

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One Dollar in the
Store Buys Ten acceptable Gifts for all
the Members of the
Family.

On our ten cent counter we offer:—

An almost endless variety of picture books, such as Cinderella, Puss in Boots, Red Riding Hood, etc., etc. Large, clear print, well illustrated in colors, some of them in cardboard covers. These are the largest books we have offered for 10c each.

TOYS

Christmas Tree Ornaments, 2 for 5c
Trumpets 10c to 25c
Cart with Horse, 10c each.
"See Saw", a new mechanical toy,
10c each.
Barking Dogs, 10c to 25c
Games, 5c to 25c
Large Games, 10c each.
Drums with Sticks, 10c each.
Large Horses, 25c each.
Large Rolly Polies, 10c
Circus Wagons, 10c

POST CARDS

Our Line of post cards is larger than ever. We bought later than usual, at a time when manufacturers were anxious to clean up their stocks. You therefore reap the benefit, for we offer the best cards of the season at the same little price of

10c per dozen

Hair Pins, 2 shapes, shell finish, extra heavy hand polished stock, perfectly tapered prongs, 10 first quality white brilliants. 10c each.
Kewpies. Bisque Tango Kewpies. 3 1/2 in., 2 Kewpies joined in realistic tango pose. 25c each.

Dominoes—Double 6, polished ebony finish, white enameled dots, embossed edges and "Busy Bee" backs. Each set in litho glazed box. 10c.
Side Combs. Open Set Finished Teeth—2 styles, good wt., polished stock, heavy rounded reinforced back. 10c pair.

Beads—14 in., non-tarnishable bright gold glass, 4 sizes small to medium. 10c each.

Sad Irons—3 3/4 in., hollow aluminum top, heavy nickel bottom and sides, patent, detachable, varnished handle. 10c each.

Neckwear. 25c values with flowing end, 45 in. graduated, large bound end, double stitched neckband, 2 color basket weave grounds, black & white, black & navy, black & garnet, yellow & gold, purple & green, and wistaria & green. Our price 10c each.

Chocolate Pots, pure white china, narrow green & tan conventional band with green scroll outlined blue medal lions and Dresden rose festoons, inner gold band and lace wreath. 25c to 29c each.

Box paper—6 styles, medium wt. cloth finish paper, wallet and new long pointed flap envelopes, medalion head, floral, mosaic and scroll tops, some embossed, in colors and gold. 10c to 25c.

GREENWOOD

Patth Mountain
A. D. Kilgore and a friend from Norway Lake have been stopping at Lyman Herriek's for a few days' deer hunting. Frank Morgan of Waterford has been stopping at his camp here; also Lee Billings and Charlie Leonard of Waterford. E. P. Herriek has been on the sick list. Randall Herriek is cutting hardwood lumber. School commenced here December 6th, Miss Noble teacher.

NORTH WATERFORD.

George Holt and Ben Kimball are cutting timber for Jackson's mill. They are camping in the woods. Annie Newcomb has come home from Boothbay Harbor where she is teaching to spend her two weeks' vacation.

LICE AND MITES.

Treatment of These Parasitic Pests Which Infest Poultry.

In warm weather the parasitic pests which infest poultry, breed rapidly and do considerable damage. Most hens and hen-houses are infested with two kinds of pests—the louse and the mite. Lice can be found on hens any time of the year but as they breed faster in warm weather it is in the summer that they are most harmful. Unless the hen is badly infested it is doubtful whether lice do very much damage. Their mouth parts are chewing, not sucking, and consequently they live for the most part on the slough, scabs and secretions of the skin, writes William C. Monahan, instructor in poultry husbandry, extension department, University of Maine. Mites on the contrary, have sucking mouth parts which pierce the skin and draw blood. Hence they do more than annoy; they actually sap the hen's vitality through pain and the loss of blood. Worse than either of these pests is the combination of both for then the hen has no peace. At night mites leave the roosts and crawl up her legs where they open wounds and suck blood, while during the day, lice feast on the forming scabs, irritate the wounds and prevent them from healing.

Lice—Their Treatment.

Since lice spend all their time on the hen, treatment to eradicate them must also be applied to the hen. Dipping, dusting and greasing with ointment are the practical methods. Dipping, although efficient, is rather bothersome. Dusting the birds; the natural means of protection against lice, is the oldest and most common practice. Its effectiveness is due to the fact that lice breathe, as grasshoppers, through little holes or breathing pores are clogged up with fine particles of dirt the tiny animal soon suffocates. This is the function of the dust-bath and also of lice powder.

There are many kinds of commercial lice-powders offered for sale. Some of them work well; others are no more effective than would be an equal amount of road dust or other insect powder material. The most effective, as well as the cheapest of lice-powders can readily be made at home by mixing together:

One part creosol (or crude carbolic acid); three parts gasoline, and sufficient plaster of paris to make a thick paste and the moisture. (Usually four quarts of plaster is required to one quart liquid).

This mixture is allowed to dry. The gasoline evaporates and leaves a fine powder thoroughly impregnated with carbolic. The hens are taken one at a time and held by the legs with one hand, the powder is worked into the feathers especially into the fluff around the vent and under the wings. To make the job complete, the dusting should be repeated four or five days later, so as to kill the lice that subsequently hatch and before they mature to lay eggs or "mites."

Next to this, Laury powder pyrethrum or Persian Insect powder is probably as cheap and effective as any. For greasing, a mixture of sulphur and lard with a little iodine is an excellent home made remedy. A mercuric compound known as "Blue Ointment" which can be purchased at any drug store is also very effective. This latter remedy is especially valuable for young chicks when infested with head lice and they are both serviceable in fighting the depluming mite.

Mites—Their Treatment.

The common mite, usually spoken of as the "red mite," is the one which does the most damage. Lice powder will not eradicate this pest for they inhabit the hen only during feeding time, which is at night or when the hen is on the nest. Their normal appearance is usually seen on the underside of roosts, in crevices and cracks or in filth, is whitish gray and all shades from that to deep red, depending on the amount of hens' blood they have sucked.

Their habit of spending the day on the roosts makes their disposal an easy matter. The house should be cleaned up all filth, the nest material changed and a disinfectant paint or spray applied to roosts and surrounding walls. Will do the rest. Convenient and effective spray materials are:

- (1) Cresol soap solution, recommended by the Maine station.
- (2) One part creosol or crude carbolic acid and three parts gasoline or kerosene.
- (3) Whitewash to which one pint carbolic acid is added to each gallon.
- (4) Strong solutions of such called "Liquid Lice Killers."

The Home of Paramount Pictures

REX THEATRE

Mon. - Tues., Dec. 20-21

WILLIAM FARNUM in The Sign of the Cross, and Paramount Travel Pictures

Wed. - Thurs., Dec. 22-23

HOBART BOSWORTH in Burning Daylight

Friday - Sat., Dec. 24-25

BIG DOUBLE BILL
DUSTIN FARNUM in Cameo Kirby, and JOHN EMERSON in The Conspiracy.

The same bill Christmas Matinee at 3.

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Opposite the Savings Bank and Post Office.

Useful Gifts

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N. Swett Shoe Co.

Opera House Block, Tel. 38-2

NORWAY, - - - MAINE.

OXFORD

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An all-day mission meeting was held with Mrs. Tena Twitchell at her home on Fore street last week Thursday, and this week there will be a mission meeting held Wednesday with Mrs. Addie Wills. Rev. H. L. Paulkington is holding meetings some evenings this week with the Adventist people at Norway Center. Mrs. Margaret Flemmings is spending the winter with her niece, Mrs. Annie Trebilcock.

EAST FRYEBURG.

Mrs. Josie Cook, who has been keeping house for D. P. Lord has returned to West Baldwin. Mrs. Minnie Vanou of Denmark is keeping house for H. W. Lord.

W. C. Douglass assisted Holland & Barker of Denmark on their new store and Mrs. Douglass went with him and visited relatives for the past two weeks. Enoch Pike is in the Maine General hospital for an operation.

Ray Douglas, who is employed in Peter Bent Brigham Hospital of Boston, is at home here on his vacation.

The last report of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Harnden is that they are on their way home and are visiting her sister, Mrs. Judith Bundy in Wisconsin.

Mrs. Gladys Brooks and Lula Bennett of Brownfield were guests of H. W. Lord for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. W. Howe were recent guests of his sister, Mrs. F. M. Sanborn.

Oliver Warren has been quite ill but is improving in health.

Mrs. Ada Harnden who is teaching school in Denmark is spending her vacation at E. B. Warren's.

The fall term of school taught by Gertrude Messervy Shaw of Fryeburg, closed Saturday for two weeks' vacation. There was a fine entertainment and Christmas tree in the evening. This was Mrs. Shaw's fourth term and she has kept a fine school and both scholars and parents are very sorry that she doesn't find it convenient to come back for the winter term.

SOUTH HARRISON

Herman Thompson, wife and son Clifford, went to Mechanic Falls as the weekend guests at Frank Chaplin's last week.

Henry Leighton and wife and two children went to Windham, Sunday.

E. W. Fogg sold a cow to Jesse Holden and bought four pigs of Mr. Holden.

Arthur Johnson has been here making calls on old neighbors.

Mrs. Gardner Whiteley was at her daughter's, Mrs. Holden's, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Hazel Whiteley was at her father's, George Ayer's, Sunday.

Herman Thompson killed a pig the sixth and carried it to Fortunate. Sim Pendexter and Charles Pendexter have been cutting cordwood for the Lakin brothers.

John Hartford has been building a woodshed.

Henry Leighton has been having a very sore arm, caused by a large boil on it.

NORTH NORWAY

School at Swift's Corner closes this Friday for a two weeks' vacation.

Will Symonds and Charles Foster started for Florida December 7th.

Horace Hussey has been kept pretty busy the past two weeks but is now at home in this vicinity.

Lauren Lord has sold his colt, which he purchased in July of Fred Noble, to O. W. H. Judkins.

O. W. H. Judkins and son have laid their two faithful old horses, "Pan" and "Rocket," to rest, one being twenty-four and the other over thirty years of age.

EAST OTISFIELD

Mrs. E. R. Stone, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. George A. Dingley of Portland, for the past two weeks, returned home, Saturday.

Percy Smith and family, who have been living in George Bean's rent since last spring, moved Monday up to James Knight's.

William Spurr is stopping in Portland for a while.

Christmas Tree and entertainment at the Hall, Friday night, December 24th.

Edward Nutting, who has been working for his cousin, L. D. Nutting, for a while, returned to N. F. Lamb's, Monday.

James Small is drawn jurymen for December term.

A number in this place are entertaining bad colds.

Will Johnson's little baby boy, Edwin, is sick again. His parents took him to Portland to the Children's Hospital last Wednesday for treatment, and returned home with him Saturday.

Harry Dyer, while going to the woods to cut wood, December 3, had the misfortune to slip and fall down, striking his left wrist on his ax blade and cutting off an artery. Dr. Haskell was called to dress the wound. Five stitches were taken in it. Harry is getting along as well as could be expected.

Mrs. Will Johnson is confined to her bed with a very bad cold.

G. May, James Knight and Guy Scribner, who are working in East Otisfield, were at home Saturday night and Sunday.

MILTON PLANTATION.

The Chippewee Campfire Girls met with their guardian, Friday evening. As there only a few out the girls enjoyed a word contest after the meeting was over.

Friday evening, December 4, the friends and neighbors at Hamlin's Gore gave Mr. and Mrs. Ernest C. Day a surprise party. The whole affair being unexpected to them. Mr. and Mrs. Day were the recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts. The evening was passed by singing, games and other musical selections. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Everybody voted it an enjoyable time and went away wishing the newly married couple a happy and prosperous married life.

Philip Clifford and James W. Lapham have taken a wood job of Abe Merrill in East Bethel.

Harold A. Jackson and Walter S. Mill left are working in Locke's Mills.

Viola Bartlett was at her home in East Bethel over Sunday. Winola Mill left accompanied her.

Clara Jackson is home from her school work at Farmington Normal school for a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Carroll have moved to Norway where they expect to have work for the winter.

Last week in the office for the ensuing year of the V. I. S., A. H. Mann's name as President did not get into print.

In the account of the fire it was stated that the mill which burned at Milton was the fourth fire which has destroyed the mill property belonging to Mr. Mann.

It was the fifth fire and the third mill which has been burned at Milton.

The V. I. S. sale at Milton and Bethel school house, Saturday evening, a short and entertaining is being prepared for the occasion.

LOVELL.

No 4.

Mrs. Hattie H. Sawyer started for Milbrook with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bessie Sawyer and two little sons, who are going home.

H. S. Kimball sold his driving horse to Dr. E. J. Noyes, recently and bought another of Dell Stearns.

Harry Allen is working for H. S. Kimball.

At the last regular meeting of Suncook Grange, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Master—Bertha G. Keniston.
Overseer—M. A. LeBaron.
Secretary—Martha Kimball.
Treasurer—Martha Kimball.
Steward—Harry Ring.
A. E.—Chas. Stanford.
Ceres—Verna McAllister.
Pomona—Genie Watson.
Flora—Ola Stanley.
G. K.—W. H. Hutchins.
L. A. S.—Ruth Kimball.

District Dep. Danforth and Mrs. Danforth of Brownfield were present and Mr. Danforth gave a very fine address on Grange work and Grange principles.

There was a lunch served. Voted to have a day meeting, January 7, when the officers will be installed by Dist. Dept. Danforth.

At the meeting of Parker W. R. C. No. 99, December 9, the following officers were elected for 1916:

Pres.—Mrs. Esther McDaniels.
S. V. Pres.—Mrs. Orena Irish.
V. Pres.—Mrs. Ida Charles.
Treas.—Mrs. Phoebe Littlefield.
Chap.—Mrs. Addie Brown.
G. K.—Miss Annie Perry.
Delegate to Dept. Convention—Bertha Keniston.
Alternate—Ruth Kimball.

The other officers are appointed by pres. and will be announced later.

Verona Ring of Sweden is at Harry Ring's for the winter.

BROWNFIELD.

The remains of James Ricker, a former resident, were brought from New Hampshire and buried from the Congregational Church on Monday afternoon with Rev. L. F. McDonald officiating.

The Albert Chamberlains of Springvale arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hill, Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Augusta Whitney was in Center Conway, N. H., Friday, to attend the funeral of a cousin, Mrs. Eben Meader.

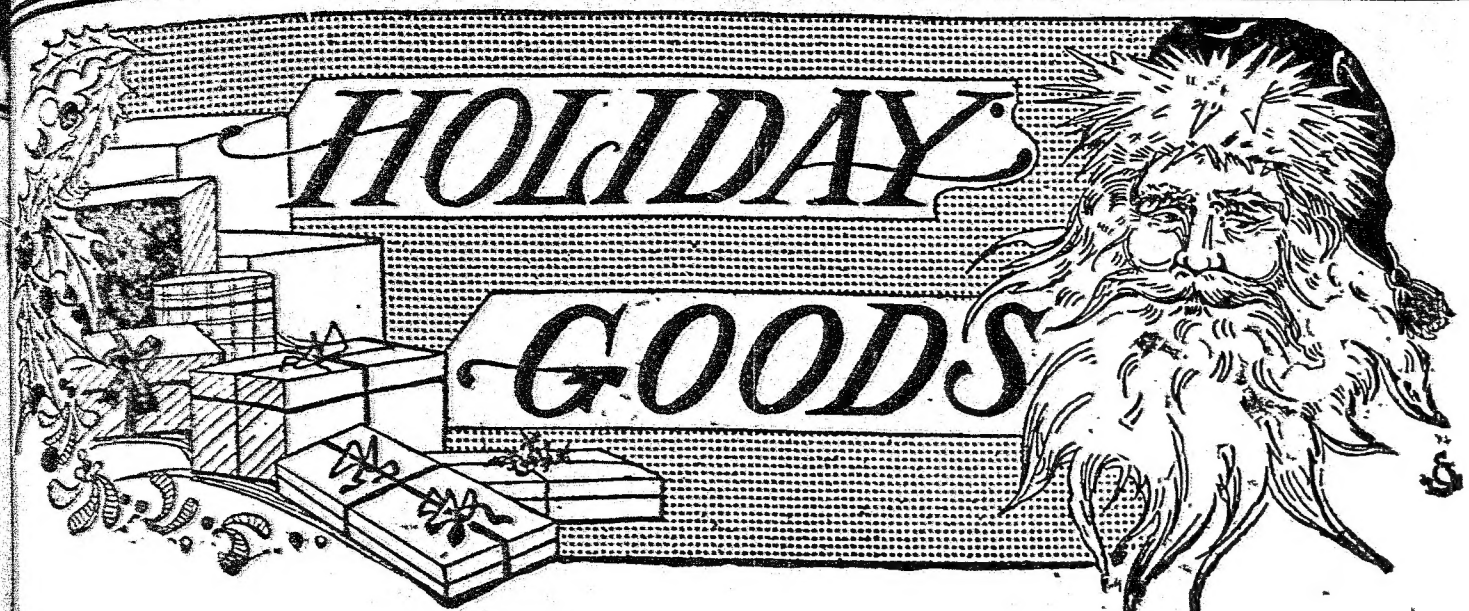
Rev. Oscar W. Peterson of Newcastle gave an illustrated lecture on "Germany in Peace and War," at Town Hall, Tuesday evening, preceded by a baked bean supper at Odd Fellows Hall, just across the way.

Mrs. Albert Blake returned to her home Saturday. She was accompanied by her niece, of Portland.

Mrs. Phoebe Noble of West Baldwin has been the guest of Mrs. Almira Day.

Arthur Hawes of the High School faculty spends a part of the vacation with a party of hunters in the Moosehead Lake region.

"Get your 1916 auto license early," that is what Secretary of State, John E. Bunker of Augusta says. Motor vehicle owners will receive an application card this week and a copy of the law governing the same so act promptly and avoid inconvenience and trouble should there be good wheeling in January.



The Gift Makers Great Opportunity

You can not find a better place to get just the right thing for everyone than our Holiday stock which is now ready for your inspection and approval. If you want good Quality, the Right Article, and the Reasonable Price, do your Xmas shopping with us.

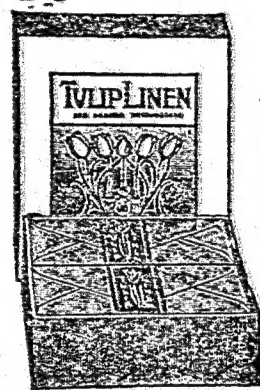


BOOKS
Popular Fiction @ 50c. Boy's and Girl's Books. Children's Toy Books. Birthday and Christmas Books. Poems and the works of our Local Authors—Stephens, Pendexter, Mundy and Page. Books are always acceptable.

Bibles and Testaments

No more appropriate gift than one of these. We have an excellent line to select from. Buy this year.

Stationery



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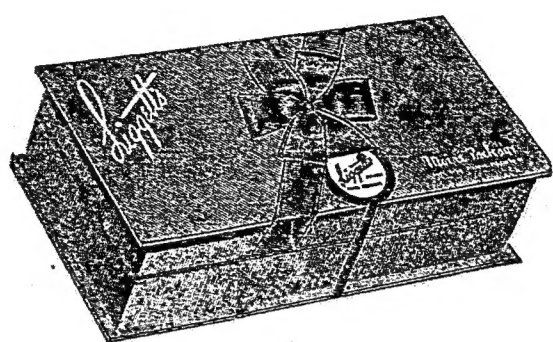
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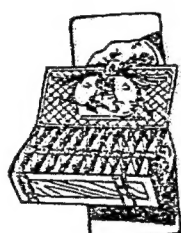


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Popular brands of Cigars in Holiday Boxes of 12, 25 and 50. We also have a nice line of case pipes, Smoker's Sets, and Tobacco in Xmas packages. Just the gift if he smokes!

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Are always popular as Xmas gifts. We can supply you with the one you have been looking for.

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We stock Palmers, Colgates and Harmony Perfumes in appropriate gift packages. Just the thing for Mother, Sister or Sweetheart.

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Useful everywhere, these short days especially. A lasting, useful gift at a low price. Large stock to select from.

For the Right Present For the Right Person at the Right Price Come Right to Us. You are Cordially Invited to Inspect Our Stock.

F. P. Stone,
THE JEXALL STORE NORWAY

JOSEPH ANDREWS' LETTER.

Marietta, Ohio, December 1915.
The tick, tick, tick of the clock that stands upon the mantel by my side. The entries made in my diary day by day, throughout the year, at the tollable subscription slip upon my paper, all admonish me that another year has almost passed and that if I would continue to be a paid-in-advance subscriber to the Advertiser, I must without delay forward my subscription for another year for your most excellent paper. It is usually reaches me either Saturday afternoon or Monday morning, and its columns are eagerly scanned for items of interest from Lovell, Fryeburg, Stow, Chatham and other near by neighborhoods by which I am able in a measure to keep in touch with many of my old time friends and neighbors.

In my last letter I wrote that death had been very kind to the friends I know and had only taken two, whose names I mentioned. I should have included Daniel Woodbury of Sweden, the husband of my old time schoolmate, Eliza Heald, and of Olive Mansfield of Fryeburg. During the four months that I attended school at West Fryeburg in the winter of 1866-7, Rose Charles and her sister, Olive were two of the most attentive and studious of the large number of scholars present. Rose married and is living in Massachusetts. Olive married Willard Mansfield and I believe lived all her life in or near her home town of Fryeburg. She died about two years ago, and kind friends, true and loving, left many friends to mourn her death.

By the sad and sudden death of Eckley Stearns a few weeks ago at his beautiful home in Lovell Center, I feel that I have lost one of my best and truest friends, and I deeply sympathize with his noble wife and family in their great loss. The death of E. T. Stearns leaves but two survivors of the noble band of seventeen young men by the name of Stearns who went from Lovell Center and fought for their country during the Civil War. They were the sons of Deacon Benjamin, Stephen, Caleb, Obed, and Gen. Solomon Stearns and Horatio Stearns, a brother of Stephen and Caleb. These 17 young men all lived within a mile (as the crow flies) of the dear old Congregational church, and were faithful attendants at the religious services held there. The two survivors are Bannister, brother of Eckley, now living in the south, and Henry whose home is at Oakland, Cal.

The tragic death of Reginald Pottle the last surviving son of my old friend and schoolmate, came as a sad surprise. During the last few visits to Maine I often met him and thought him a fine young man. A near friend of his this writing of his life and death has this to say: "Reginald was a very conscientious young man, true to every one but himself, but he was always afflicted and took life seriously. He lost his speech when very young, due to a nervous trouble and never had robust health. Then he had built himself a home, the building he rebuilt and when I was there his house had everything in it necessary for comfort. Less than two years ago his wife died leaving two children, five and seven years of age. All this time his health had been failing, his nights had been sleepless much of the time, yet he was constantly at work during the day. He must keep a housekeeper to keep his house in order and care for the children. Her health failed and she had to leave, but finally returned, but he had to hire a part of the work done as she was not able to do all. All this he bore alone and uncomplainingly, but his frail nervous system could not withstand the strain and he collapsed. It certainly is a tragic ending for a very fine young man." The blow falls doubly heavy upon the father. Their farms lay side by side and each one was alone and for years they had depended upon each other by changing work to help out on work that one could not well do alone.

My Thanksgiving number of the Advertiser came last night and I was reminded of the swift flight of time and of my boyhood days in Lovell, by reading of the death of Charles G. Andrews at the ripe old age of 82. He was the son of Stephen Andrews, one of my near by neighbors, and the grandson of Capt. Samuel Andrews of Revolutionary fame. Until he moved from Lovell some 30 years ago he owned and lived upon the old homestead farm first owned and improved by my grandfather, Capt. Abraham Andrews, also of Revolutionary fame. Charles was some ten years my senior and I remember him as one of the solid, sensible young men for which that part of Lovell known as the Center was noted, 40 to 60 years ago. He and his brother, Cyrus and Henry Gerry all near by neighbors were extremely fortunate in their married lives, for they wooed and wed Phebe, Betsy and Olive Charles, three sisters and daughters of old Uncle John Charles, who lived over in the Charles and Eastman neighborhood about two miles from Lovell Center. No truer, nobler women ever lived than they. They were leaders in the church and social circle and for many years they and their families were strong factors in upbuilding and sustaining the Center Lovell Christian church.

Under date of September 15, Henry Stearns writes from his home at Oakland, Cal., in part as follows: "In answer to your letter of September 9th, I was surprised to hear of the tragic manner of Reginald's going. Arthur and Austin Stearns are neither living. Arthur died in a hospital in Reno, about fifteen years ago, of Austin's death I know not. E. P. Heald is doing well. He goes out walking and out riding, but it is thought that he will never have the use of his right side. He has his mind clear, and good appetite, he must be helped into an auto. I did not make an extended visit in Chicago (with his son, Ed) and got back here to commence at the school on August first. I took the Shash school on August first, then on the Oregon short line to Boise, Idaho, where I stayed four days, then to Salt Lake one day, then to Chicago. I was afraid of the hot weather there as I hurried back, but Chicago had a remarkably cool summer, and I would have remained another month had I known it. I am doing my tricks at the school, and my health is good as usual. I am living entirely alone at 1025-8th street, as Mrs. Brown had to go and keep house for her son who got married."

Since my return from my California trip last June I have been very quiet, but have not been outside the city limits, but each day I take a walk of several miles around the city streets and parks in order to keep my walking gear in running condition. I plan to go back to my farm in South Dakota next March and from there perhaps to go to the western part of the state, and to Wyoming to hunt up

and visit once more a few old friends that are scattered along the way, then return to Ohio and later in the season visit Maine and a few of the eastern cities. Especially Washington and New York.

LOVELL.

M. A. Charles got hurt quite badly in the woods. A large limb fell and hit him on the head. H. L. Craft, M. D., was called and attended him. At this writing he is getting along well.

Dr. H. L. Craft's horse ran away Monday. It was the Doctor's, but not badly. The horse ran to E. F. McAllister's, where he was caught. The wagon and harness looked "like thirty cents."

J. W. Howe came over from Fryeburg Saturday with a large pair of oxen that he sold to A. A. Stearns. Mr. Stearns will put them into the woods at work this winter.

C. H. Barker, W. L. Vanuee and Lloyd Poor are finishing off a room at the Odd Fellows' block for the use of the degree staff.

Delta Lodge F. and A. M. has elected the following officers for 1916:

W. M.—Bennett McDaniels.
S. W.—W. N. Seavey.
Sec.—J. G. McAllister.
Treas.—P. B. Walker.
J. D.—P. W. Walker.
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Trustees—J. Noyes, G. H. Moore and G. A. Kimball.

At the meeting of Delta Chapter, O. E. S., the degrees were conferred upon two candidates. The following officers were elected:

W. P.—R. G. Charles.
Sec.—Marion S. Walker.
Treas.—Ella M. Harmon.
C. C.—Carrie Kimball.

A fine lunch was served after the work. Kezar Valley Lodge, I. O. O. F. entertained Fryeburg Lodge and Crescent Lodge of North Lovell Saturday evening. Supper was served in the dining hall at 6:30. At eight o'clock lodge was opened. Noble Grand H. G. Ring in the chair. The second degree was conferred by Kezar Valley degree staff in a fine manner. Old music and a social good time with old friends and brothers made up an evening that will long be remembered by those present. December 18th the initiation and third degrees will be conferred.

Miss Marion Plummer has gone to Bartlett, N. H., to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Fred Garland.

The Committee of the Ladies Library Club have decided upon a Drama, and are working hard to make it a success. With your hearty co-operation they will do so, for it goes for a worthy cause.

Nellie B. Walker, a former resident of Lovell, but who now resides in Portland, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Marion Walker.

The Reverend H. H. Hoyt preached at the Village church, last Sunday. Mr. Hoyt is a very interesting speaker and his many friends in Lovell hope he will preach again to us in the near future.

James Plummer has gone to Intervale for a short stay.

Mrs. J. C. Kilgour is in Portland this week on business. It is something very unusual to see the dust drying on the streets of Lovell on the 12th day of December, but that thing happened on that day when the autos went by. They would leave a cloud of dust in their wake as if it was the dry, dusty season of the year.

WEST LOVELL

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Fox and little Corrinne Fox visited at Mrs. Fox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Lord's on Sunday.

Mrs. Allen returned to her home at the village on Tuesday. She has spent two weeks with her husband at Mrs. Caroline Fox's.

D. E. McAllister is putting a new floor and repairing his carriage house. He has a barn full of nice stock.

B. H. McAllister is cutting bushes in the pasture for D. E. McAllister. He has cleaned up several acres.

The ice is making fast on the lake. On Thursday, December 9th, Walter Laroque was unable to cross to his work having to turn back after attempting to row over.

M. A. LeBaron and Kate Williams were at Mrs. Caroline Fox's Sunday. Ralph R. McAllister and wife, visited at Mrs. McAllister's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McKee for the week-end. Mr. McKee brought them to the West side, Sunday afternoon.

Walter Fox was at W. S. Fox's, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Sherman McAllister and Geo. Smith were at M. A. Sargent's, Sunday. Mrs. Sargent is somewhat weaker.

Mrs. George Guptill was at her parents', Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Laroque's the last of the week of the Sunday. There was quite a company present at the dance, Saturday evening.

Fifty of the neighbors accepted an invitation to W. S. Fox's on Thursday evening, it being their twenty-second wedding anniversary. Dancing to the strains of the violin played by Olden McAllister, was indulged by many. Refreshments of cake, popcorn and candy were served. The following gifts were left as mementos to the occasion: plate, M. A. LeBaron; gold watch, Kate Williams; salad fork, Mr. and Mrs. Dana McAllister; butter knife, B. H. McAllister; gravy ladle, R. A. Oris and Eva LeBaron; sugar shell, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Irish; glass dish, Helen Armstrong; pair towels, Mr. and Mrs. McAllister; ar pillow, Aristeon Lord; cake plate and fruit dish, Mr. and Mrs. Olden McAllister and family; basket, A. K. Lord; basket, C. D. Lord; money purse, Sarah Lord; cake plate, Mrs. Caroline Fox; yarn, Mr. Alonzo Lord; money, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Fox, Joel Allard and Lotie, Alonzo Lord, Dr. and Mrs. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Laroque.

CANTON.

Maud Ellis has been clerk in the store while S. B. Ellis was away hunting. C. D. Leavis is loading birch at the station to be used at the toothpick mill at Dixfield.

The Universalist circle met at the vestry on Thursday to tack puffs. It was an all day meeting and dinner was served.

Mrs. Ellie Sampson is driving the school team at Gilbertville.

W. L. Roberts and family have been visiting relatives in Boston. George Grover is attending Gray's business college in Portland.

Rev. C. H. Selegar of Augusta preached to a large congregation at the Universalist church, Sunday. At the Oxford County Supreme Judicial Court, Judge Hale will preside at the March term; Judge Spear at the May term; Judge Savage at the October term.

TOMMY FIRST ATTEMPT.

Tommy sidled in through the front door with an elaborate hat of there being nothing unusual in his entry of his own free will before 5:30 o'clock. Usually it took two maids, his mother and threats from father to drag Tommy within the portals of his happy home in time to get ready for dinner.

"Nobin's the matter," he told Hetty, the second girl, defiantly. "I just don't feel well. I wanta go lie down on mother's bed. Where's mother?"

Oddly enough, he seemed relieved instead of disappointed when Hetty said that his mother was downtown. Hetty was anxious. Tommy usually had hysterics at the mention of a nap—and here he was suggesting, nay demanding one!

"Do you ache anywhere?" Hetty asked. "I wish your mother was here. Is your head hot?"

"Naw!" Tommy said, edging away from her hand. "I just wanta lie down."

He climbed upstairs into his mother's room and Hetty heard the springs groan as he threw himself upon the bed.

"I wish his mother was here!" she told the cook. "I know he's sickening for something. And him lying right on that new spread she made, and him forbidden to get on the beds daytimes anyhow! I wish I knew what was the matter with him."

Every ten minutes or so Hetty paused at the bedroom door to gaze within. Tommy lay blinking at the ceiling. Every now and then he would gulp and swallow hard. His face was pale.

"Tell me where the pain is darlin'," Hetty begged. Only the wildest extreme would have led Hetty to address Tommy with pet names. Usually she referred to him as "that young limb!"

"You go 'way!" was Tommy's fierce responses to her distracted query.

Hetty met Tommy's mother before the latter was fairly up the steps. "My I'm glad you've come," Hetty gasped. "Tommy's on your bed—an' he's sick—an' he won't tell what's the matter with him."

Tommy's mother apparently cleared the stairs at one bound, arriving at her son's side gasping and pale. Pale as she was, he excelled her in that respect. He edged away as she grasped his pulse and laid a hand on his forehead.

"Your pulse is fast," she said, "and your head's cold—I don't understand. Where do you ache? You aren't going to have anything awful like diphtheria are you? I must telephone the doctor."

"No-o-o-o!" Tommy roared violently and rolled over. Then he groaned, and rolled back.

"You're white as a sheet," his distressed mother cried wringing her hands. "My goodness, Tommy, I never saw you look so awful before! Where's your brother. Where's Jimmy?"

Jimmy had arrived by way of the back door some moments previously and now appeared on the scene with both grimy hands full of cookies. He gazed upon his prostrate brother with a singular absence of alarm and compassion and sniffed at the queries as to where and with whom Tommy had been that day.

"Naw, he ain't goin' to be sick," Jimmy announced positively, taking another bite of cookie. "He's been smokin'—that's what."

Grasping the foot of the bed, Tommy's mother stared first at her eldest son's calm, cookie filled countenance and then at the pale face on the pillow, now distorted with a mixture of wrath and physical agony.

"Fiddle-tale!" Tommy groaned at his brother.

It was then Tommy's mother figuratively rolled up her sleeves. Had not this very question of boys smoking been discussed at the last club meeting? It had and she knew precisely what to do. She turned toward the sufferer, who glared at her affrightedly. Just then it seemed to Tommy that he had enough to bear without the addition of a chastisement. He blinked at the cooing tones that fell upon his ear.

"So it's smoking that did it!" his mother said, not at all in anger, but with only polite interest. "I wish you had told me what you were going to do, Tommy. I don't like to have you smoking old cigars in the street and getting hold of germs and things, when there's a whole jarful of father's good cigars here at home. Get right up this minute and I'll help you have a clean, sanitary smoke."

Peeble and terror stricken, Tommy sat up. He stared with piteous disfavor upon the rich, brown, fat cigar which his mother gave him. She struck a match. "Pull on it!" she ordered.

Still terror stricken and bewildered Tommy pulled. "Keep it up!" said his parent whenever he showed signs of weakening.

She caught him when he toppled over, the cigar falling from his lips. Then she and Hetty administered first aid to the injured.

"Anyhow," Tommy said triumphantly to Jimmy some hours later when still pale, he joined the family circle, "you're another. You said I wasn't going to be sick and gee! I was awful sick."

THE IDEAL DEPARTMENT.

A small percentage of women know how to stand correctly or sit easily, gracefully, restfully in a chair. The slouching habit is widespread, and the result is sunken chests, drooping shoulders, ungainly carriage and undermined health. The girl who slouches cannot breathe easily and deeply fresh pure air into her lungs. A collapsed chest means that organs in the chest press downwards on the digestive organs, and so you have the origin of indigestion. Then there is the evitable backache of which so many business girls complain.

First learn how to stand correctly and acquire the habit, if you are on your feet all day, of standing easily and evenly on both feet, with the shoulders drawn backwards and the head raised. The body must be erect and the weight should be thrown slightly on to the balls of the toes.

Never, on any account, protrude that part of the body which comes below the waist if you wish to look graceful. Don't jump about unnecessarily, but learn to stand without strain or tension.

It is even more important to sit correctly. Sit back in your chair with the lower part of the spine and shoulders pressing against the back of the chair. Now, raise the head and carry the body slightly forward, away from the chair if you have to work at the desk.

These are the two correct positions for sitting. The first one when you rest leaning back against the chair, the second when you are at work.

NORTH WATERFORD.

Ray Burned his hand and arm Monday by falling in a pile of

Curis is working for Ezra Le- and Mrs. James. The Polyantha Club has been at her home on

families were forced to a howling snow storm, caused by a fire in a large wooden box

carried Coulombe and Mr. Money to Lovell Sunday to

Mr. Saunders and Eugene Love- and a bear in Stoneham.

children are rehearsing for the and Mrs. Fred Hazelton and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ward went to Norway,

WEST STONEHAM

Mrs. A. I. Garrett, who has been sick at the home of John Adams, has returned to their camp near A. L. McAllister's mill, where Mr. Garrett is cutting timber.

Albert Adams is sick with an abscess in his stomach. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Andrews and son, from North Lovell visited at M. E. Allen's, Sunday.

Sewell Butters has finished work for Lyman Chute.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilberger have built a camp at the foot of Speckle Mountain and will stay there this winter.

Leland Wilson has finished work for H. B. McKee.

Mr. Barker, the game warden, who has been looking after the salmon in the brooks here boarded at I. A. Andrews.

EAST OXFORD.

D. Herbert of Canada is the guest of his brother-in-law, Albert Babineau. This is the first time they had met in 36 years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Penley attended the funeral of Mrs. Penley's brother, Frank Bumpus at South Paris, Thursday.

Ruth Downing and her scholars will have an entertainment and Christmas tree, Friday afternoon at the school house.

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WEST FRYEBURG.

Nathaniel R. Hardy, one of our oldest residents, Nathaniel R. Hardy died Monday, December 6th, after a few days' illness from pneumonia, at his late home in West Fryeburg, aged seventy-four years and nine months.

Mr. Hardy was the eldest of three children born to his parents, Jonathan and Adeline Sawtelle Hardy, at the ancestral homestead. Both parents lived to a very old age, Jonathan being nearly ninety years old at his death several years ago, his wife lived to be eighty-six and but for a fall causing a broken hip might have lived much longer.

Nathaniel Hardy after his marriage to Emily Charles removed from the family homestead to the place owned by Luther Holden which he bought and occupied up to the time of his death. He was a successful farmer and working early and

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LOST—Between Norway Village and Waterford, December 7, evening, a black broadcloth robe. If found, please notify Chas. Hervey, 51 North Waterford.

late achieved a competence, but continue to work until failing eyesight and ailments due to increasing age induced him to sell most of his real estate and lessen the labor required to manage and care for it.

His wife, whom he had married in early life had been a faithful helpmeet though handicapped by rather poor health due to an accident causing an injury to her spine. One child was born to them, but its life was short and its death was a lasting grief to them. His wife died March 1911 and her remains which were interred at North Fryeburg have been removed to a lot recently purchased adjoining the cemetery in this place.

Two brothers, Stephen G. Hardy and James H. Hardy, the former a retired farmer, occupying the ancestral home, survive him.

The funeral was held at the late home of Mr. Hardy on Thursday, December 9, at 3 p. m. Rev. B. N. Stone of Fryeburg was the officiating clergyman. William Gordon of Fryeburg was in charge of the obsequies and the bearers were Henry Andrews, Dean A. Ballard, Frank Drew and Edwin Walker. Burial was in West Fryeburg by the side of his wife in the latest addition to the local cemetery.

Eight or nine inches of snow here and a high wind tossing it all about.

ALBANY.

A Surprise Party

A very pleasant evening was passed a week ago Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Keniston, when the nearby neighbors gave Albert D. Keniston a surprise party in honor of his twenty-first birthday.

They met by Mr. Inman's house about 7:30 o'clock, and when all had gathered in a crowd they all marched in through the storeroom into the sitting-room and marched back again to shake hands with Albert. At first he hardly knew what had happened, but was not long getting his thinking cap on.

He thought there was not room enough at the house so he and his brother Silas took the auto and went up to Charles Conner's to get the hall. They spent the evening in dancing, and ice cream and cake and pop-corn were served. At a late hour they parted wishing Albert a great many more happy birthdays.

Alta Cummings was at Berlin, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews and daughter Beatrice went to Oxford, Sunday.

Perley Grover was in town, Saturday, after a load of hay.

Herman Cummings was in Bethel, Saturday afternoon.

Ernest Paine is at work for Fred Littlefield. Mr. Littlefield has built him a camp.

School is in session under the instruction of Alta Cummings.

Marjorie and Ruth Barker were at the Corner, Saturday.

The Ladies' Circle held their annual fair and bake bean supper, Friday afternoon and evening, December 17th.

Elmer Keniston cut his foot badly Monday while at work in the woods at Bethel. His brother went after him.

The next Ladies' Circle will be at the church vestry the first Thursday in January.

Ernest Paine has moved D. A. Cummings' home and moved his family in.

Bernice Butler is to work for Mrs. Paine.

Frank Bean's wife, of Oxford, was up to the Corner at A. G. Bean's recently.

Mrs. A. G. Bean has been sick for some time, but is gaining slowly.

D. A. Cummings has gone to stop a while with his son, Les, in New York.

Not as many deer got this fall thus far as usual.

Song Road

George Burris is stopping with his sister, Mrs. A. B. Kimball.

Benj. Inman is much better so to be up and around the house, but not very strong yet.

Carl F. Upton went down to Norway Center after some more apples, Friday.

Mrs. Ella Baker and daughter, Mrs. Carl Upton, and baby spent the day last

week with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Wilbert Baker, and attended the W. R. C.

George Hapgood and brother, Frank, have been hauling hay from their barn in Albany.

Mrs. George Hapgood spent the day with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Lyons one day last week.

David Cumming from Whitman, Mass., was in town last week and stopped a few days with A. B. Kimball; he also visited his brother in Mason, Alvah Cummings and wife.

SOUTH HIRAM.

School closed here Friday, December 10, after a very successful term of thirteen weeks taught by Will Clarke of

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Drollichon bought a photograph, insisted upon his mother-in-law having her voice registered by the instrument.

As the good woman refused, he had maliciously:

"Oh, come, now; just a few more will give me to hear your voice—when you are gone!"—Paris Flap.

The Transvaal.

The Transvaal was an unknown so far as European knowledge of fluence went, prior to 1830.

The day increases one minute in length Christmas day.

The annual Parish meeting of the Congregational Parish will be held at the

on Wednesday, Jan. 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Wilkins of Bethel are spending a few days with Mrs. Wilkins' sister, Miss Anna M.

C. Lord has opened a store at his place on Paris street, and is selling Christmas novelties in jewelry. Mrs. Parter also has a line of fancy goods.

Bill Horne, who is attending the Dyer & Stratton school in Boston, is visiting his mother, Mrs. C. W. Horne.

Nathan Linan is ill with erysipelas and is being cared for by his sister, Rosamond Dunham.

Harry Cole of Portland spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. William C. Cole.

Spurr and Rev. W. W. Laite were in town, Wednesday. They came in and had some adventures on the way, but nothing serious.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Powers of South Paris will be the guests of Mrs. Rose and daughter, Lillian, Christ-

mas Eve.

Marion Haskell and Ruth Cumming, who are studying music in Boston and are true, who is attending business college in Bangor are spending the holidays at home.

Mr. Donald Partridge of Canton are guests of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Whit-

and other relatives.

Mrs. Louise Baker of Rumford is spending five weeks in New York and her sister, Phillips, a Scotch terrier, is stopping at H. L. Horne's.

Miss Elizabeth and Agnes Beals are restoring their household goods in Bangor. The price of admission is \$1.00.

Helen Howe is spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Howe.

A pleasant time was enjoyed Tuesday evening by the Junior Society at the church. The price of admission was 25c. The evening was spent with a general good time.

Mr. Swain shipped eight fine Holstein cows to C. D. Hasty of Auburn, last week and also sold six to the Robinsons of Oxford.

Miss P. Mayberry will spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Mary Mayberry of Otisfield.

Amos Rideout entertained the Minutemen at his home.

Mr. Kimball was worked Tuesday at the meeting of Norway Lodge No. 10, F. The degree will be worked on Thursday from Norway Lodge and Mt. Lodge of South Paris.

And Mrs. Simon Grover of Bethel are leaving home for Uncle Sam's place on Fore street.

B. F. Bradbury was in town over the week-end and Mrs. Jameson Finney and to Togus with him for the holidays.

Bill McKel has finished work for W. Goodwin and is working at Merchant's. Gladys Cobb is working for Mr. Goodwin at the Insurance

Young was in Portland recently received treatment for sores in his eye and ear.

Thibodeau is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Kimball will spend the week-end at the home of Mrs. H. B. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Foster are in town Monday in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Stone expect to come to dinner Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Morrill and daughter of Millett-stones Stone, Anna Stone and Mr. George A. Wilkins of South

Never of Portland will return Saturday morning for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Richardson and Maxine of Greenwood will be in town week-end with Mr. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rich-

son.

There will be morning service at the Episcopal Church at 10:45.

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Francis Sweet of Bates College is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Sweet.

Mrs. C. A. Richardson spent with relatives in Lewiston.

Julian Brown, who was counting the last day of the week with an attack of rheumatism, was able to work at the shoe factory, Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Cort Hunt and of West Paris will be Christmas of his mother, Mrs. Fred Hunt at

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Mildred Curtis, who is attending son Institute at Springvale is with parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. during her vacation.

Mrs. John Hutchins and gran-

ter, Florence Harriman, are spending week with her daughter, Mrs. H. Lasselle at Gardiner.

Mrs. Julius Peterson of Boston at the home of her mother, Emma Mann for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Peterson will spend the week-end at the home of Mrs. Peterson.

Mr. S. A. Fickett of Bethel guest of her sister, Mrs. Moses K. Olive Shaw of Portland has spending a week with her nephew, Martin and family.

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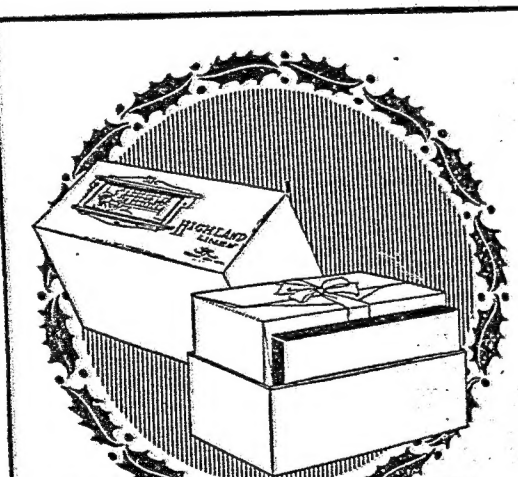
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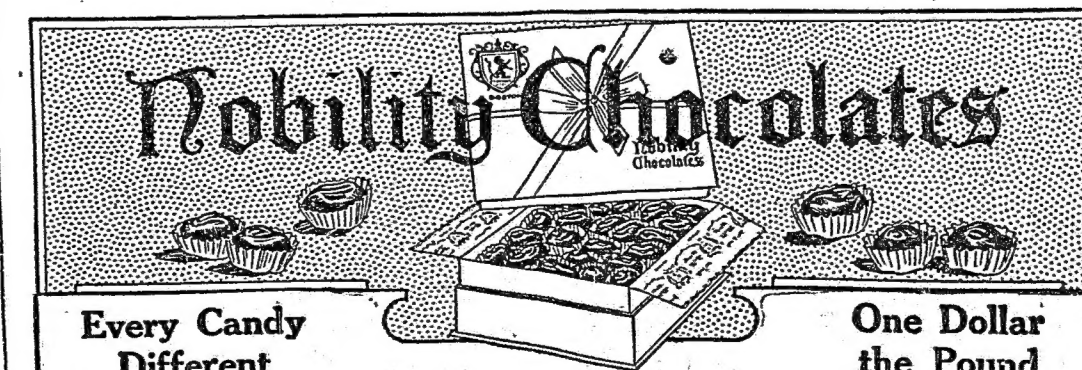
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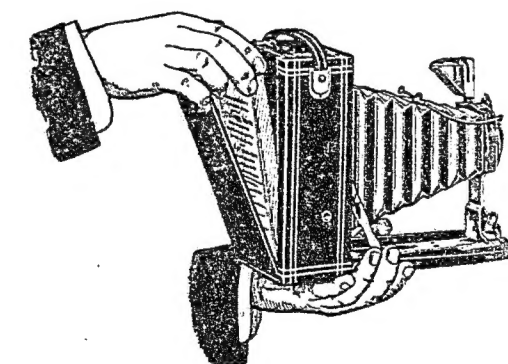
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